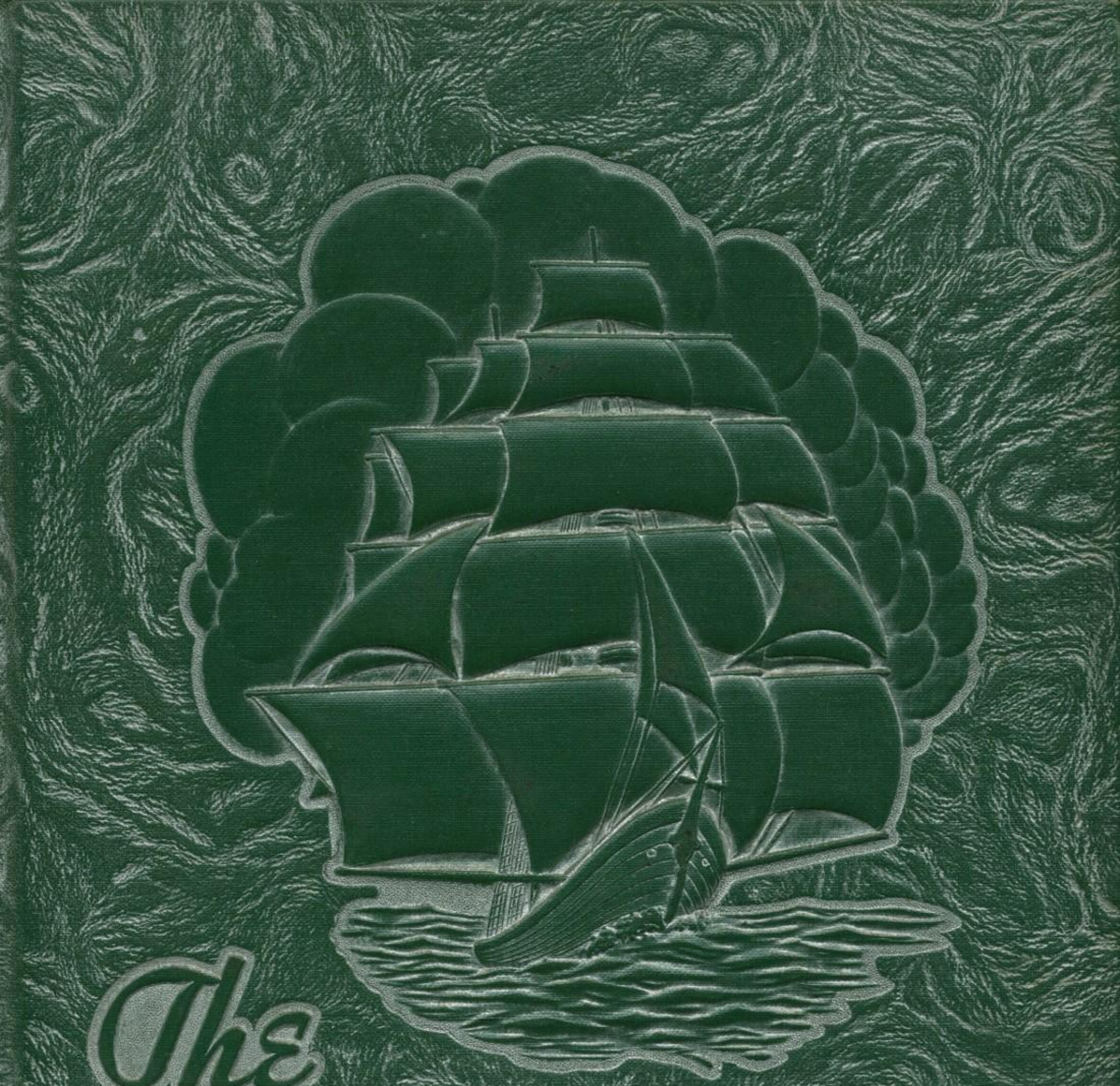

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FOREWORD

This is the logbook of the school year Nineteen Hundred and Forty-eight.

As we seniors entered our last year at Mynderse Academy, we realized with regret that we were nearing the home stretch of a long voyage. We had started out under full sail in September, 1944, after an auspicious launching, and now in June, 1948, we are at last pulling into port.

Our voyage has been eventful—full of adventures and new experiences. Since we haven't room to relate them all to you, only the highlights have been recorded in this log.

We started out as Apprentice Seamen. The faculty acted as our skippers, leading us, teaching us, and sharing our experiences with just as much zeal and enthusiasm as though it were their first cruise. We enjoyed working together in the classroom and in all the activities aboard our ship, even though at times our seamanship left something to be desired.

Our crew has learned to pull together through calm waters and stormy seas. The companionship we have found in one another is something we shall always cherish.

To preserve these memories of our school year, we have published this yearbook feeling that the nautical theme we have chosen for this 1948 Myndersian ties in with the story of the students of Mynderse Academy. As the reader scans the pages of this log, we hope he will become acquainted with Mynderse and get a better understanding and appreciation of our school.

LOUISE MENEGAY SHANNON, A.B.
Syracuse University
Teacher of English

TO YOU, MRS. SHANNON, WE OF THE CLASS OF NINETEEN FORTY-EIGHT DEDICATE THIS MYNDERSIAN IN TRIBUTE TO YOUR UNSELFISH AND INSPIRING ZEAL AS A TEACHER, CLASS ADVISER AND GIRL SCOUT LEADER

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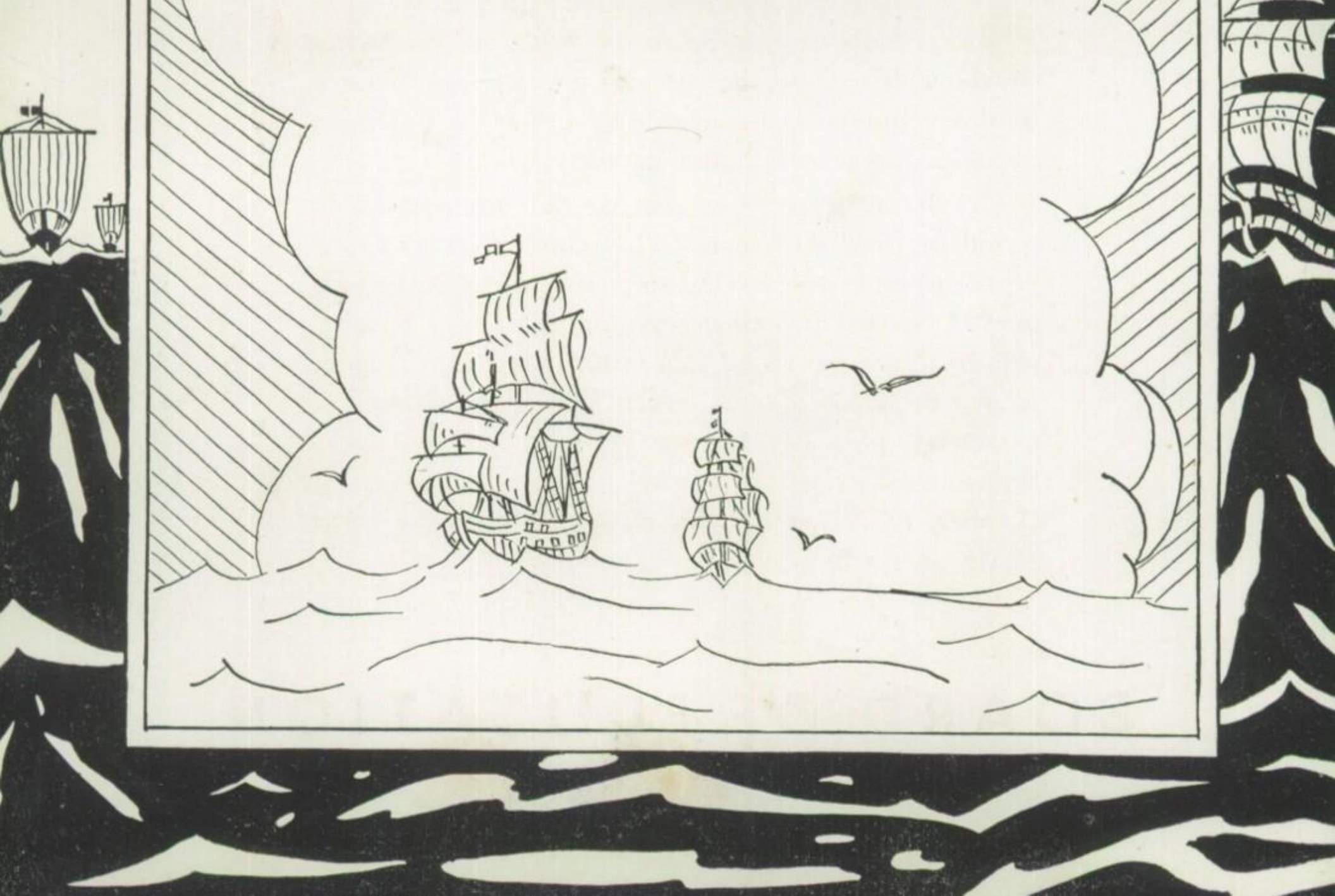


These stately Elizabethan galleons, mementoes of the days of Drake and the Armada, have ever been a heritage of maritime history. Plying the Spanish Main with cargoes from Darien, they were the leading ships of their time.

Our administrators act as such leaders, guiding us on the sea of knowledge and into safe harbors.

Mrs. Mann, Hilbert, Knight, Bracht, Romeo, Vergamini, Glanville.

Seneca Falls has a six-member Board of Education to whom the community intrusts the responsibilities of local educational services and the solution of problems pertaining to school administration.

Mr. John Bracht who heads the organization as president, has the impressive record of twenty-four years on the board, having succeeded Mr. George Geb in 1924. Second in years of service is Mr. Frank Knight, who became a board member in 1937. Mr. Earl Hilbert joined the board, June, 1942; Mrs. John Mann, in December, 1944; Mr. Robert Glanville and Dr. Angelo Romeo, in July, 1947; and Mr. Bernard Vergamini in October, 1947. The latter is filling the unexpired term of Mr. James Romeo.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Ten years ago Mr. Page came from the Dryden-Freeville Central School to head the Seneca Falls school system. Since then, the various buildings have been put into good condition, courses have been broadened, and notable progress made in charting a successful educational course.

FRANK PAGE
Superintendent of Schools

OUR ADMIRAL AND VICE-ADMIRAL

All students salute Mr. Vogel for keeping the U.S.S. Mynderse shipshape and remaining faithfully at his post for twenty-five short years. During his years here as Principal, he has advised many students "never to abandon ship." They seldom forget Mr. Vogel's excellent advice.

FRANK VOGEL
Principal of Mynderse Academy

IN MEMORIAM

REXFORD ROCKWELL

Vice-Principal of Mynderse Academy

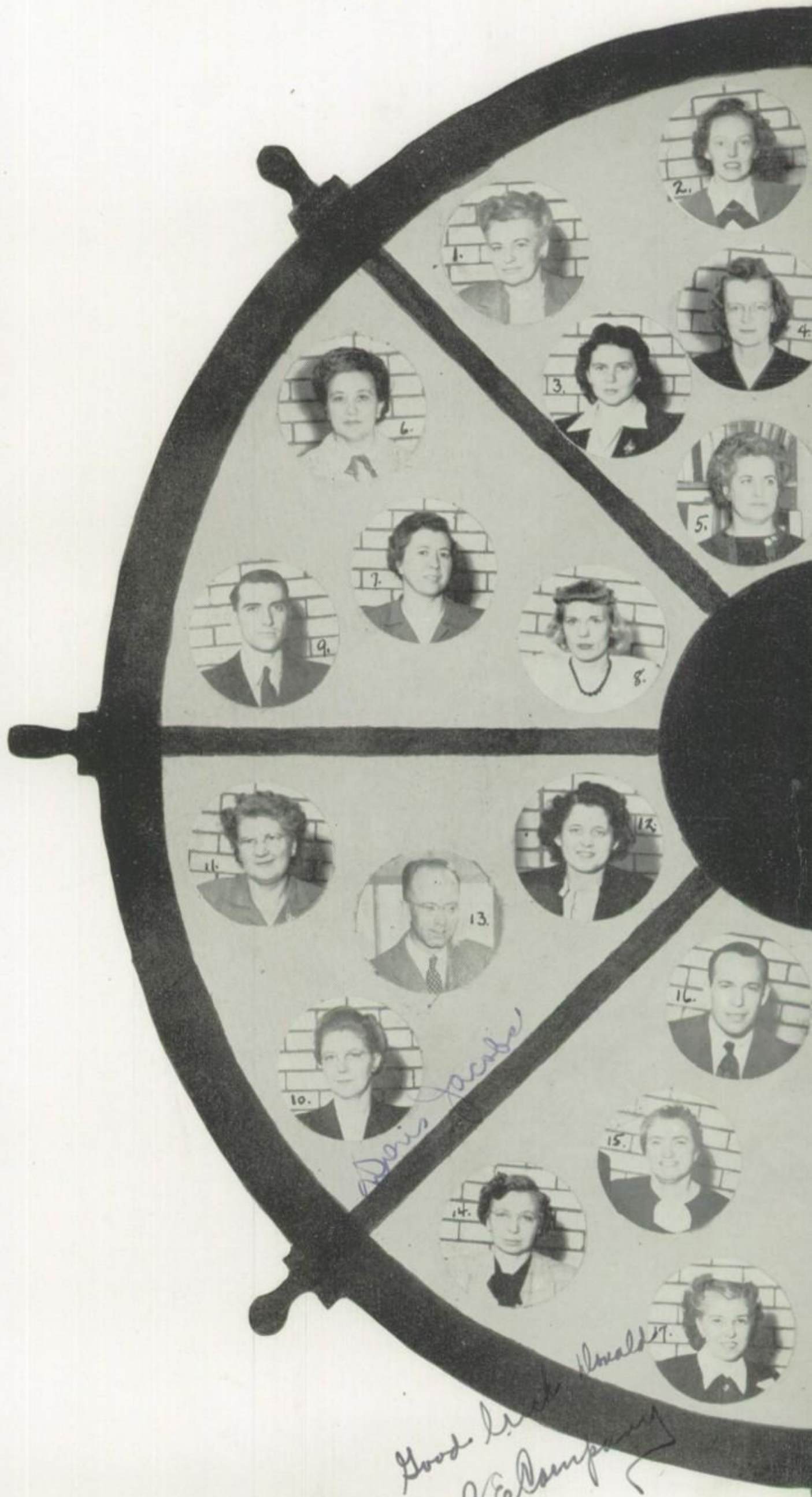
The death of Rexford Rockwell on September 29, 1947, shocked and deeply grieved the faculty and students of Mynderse Academy and the people of the community.

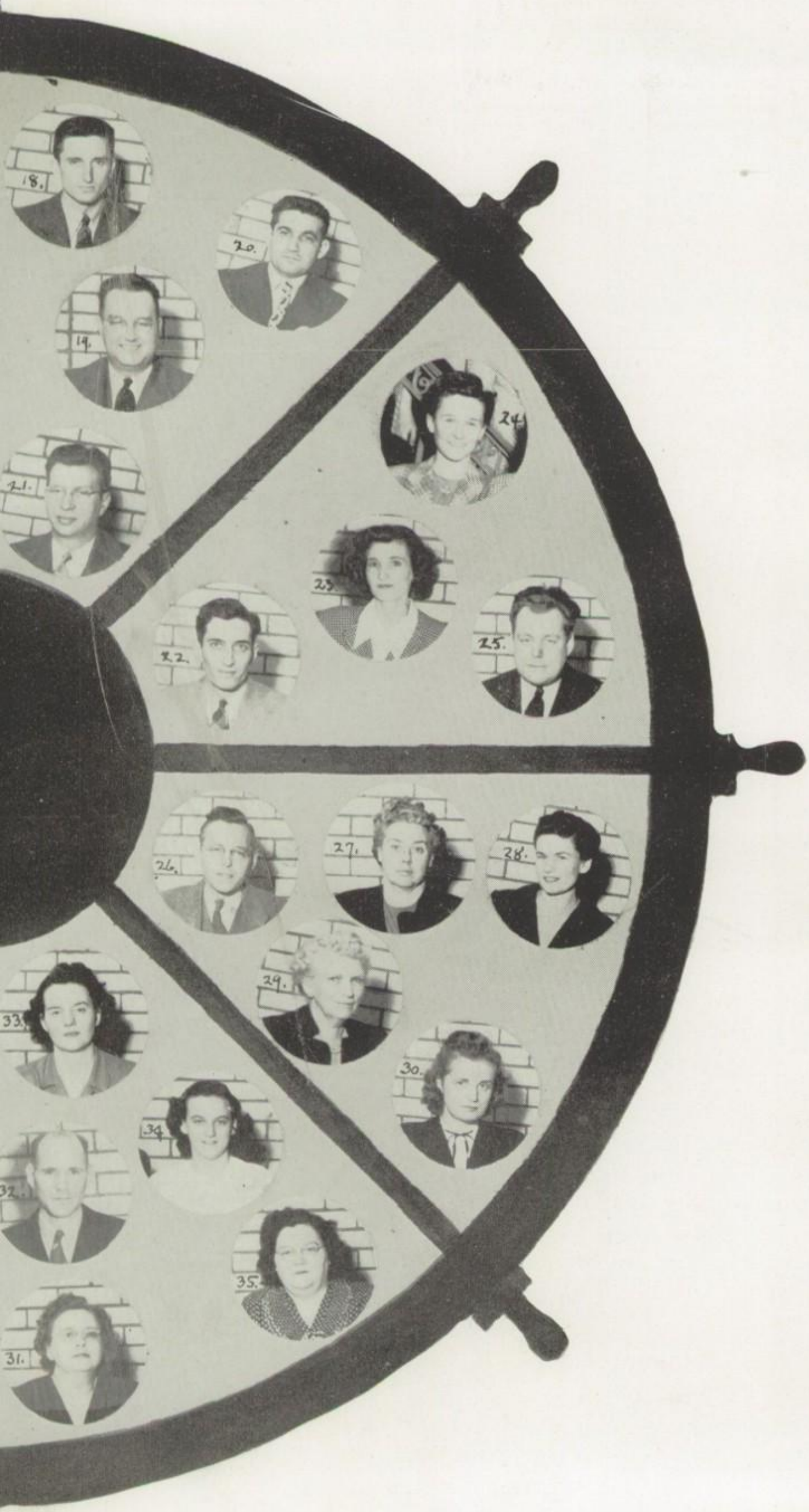
Down through the years Mr. Rockwell showed his devotion to his work by his painstaking efforts to help students with the guidance problems which they took to him so eagerly. He was a good friend, not only of the students of Mynderse Academy, but also of the townspeople. He as a veteran of World War One understood the G. I.'s and was invaluable when they returned to school in such numbers immediately following their demobilization.

It is easy to understand why Rexford Rockwell, loved by young and old alike, is missed so greatly.

THE PILOTS

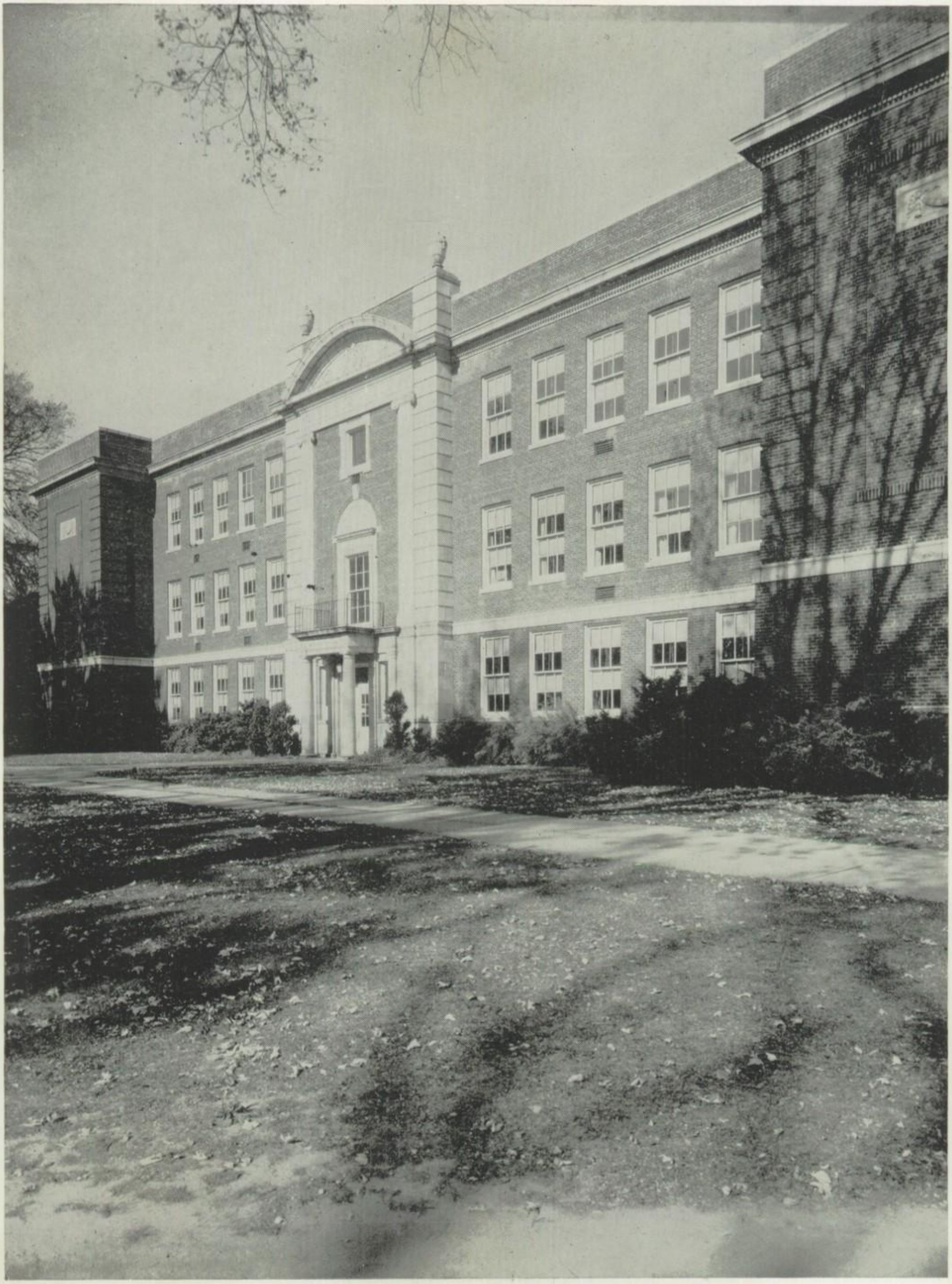
1. Julia H. O'Brien—English Four Years
2. Louise M. Shannon—English Two and Three Years
3. Doris Wilson—English One and Two Years
4. Margaret Allen — English One, Dramatics, Public Speaking
5. Grace Gibbs—Seventh and Eighth Language Arts
6. Teresa Compitello—Librarian
7. Mary Miller—Latin; Tenth Year Social Studies
8. Anne Seld—French; Ninth Year Social Studies
9. Roy L. Reed—Advanced Mathematics; Athletics
10. Doris L. Jacobs—Seventh and Eighth Grade Mathematics
11. Helen J. Hammond—Shorthand, Secretarial Practice, Typing
12. Madeline Smith — Algebra, Typing, Introduction to Business
13. Raymond G. Becker—Bookkeeping, Com. Arithmetic, Business Law, Introduction to Business
14. Emily B. Smith—Eleventh and Twelfth Year Social Studies
15. Lillian Oliver—Tenth and Eleventh Year Social Studies
16. George H. Wilber—Ninth Year Social Studies, Guidance Director
17. Birdena E. Campany—Seventh Grade Social Studies
    Hazel Welcher — Eighth Grade Social Studies





THE PILOTS

18. Stanley Marshall — Physics, General Science, Biology; Athletics
19. John A. Bourdon—Seventh and Eighth Grade Mathematics, Science; Visual Education; Athletics
20. John Canale—Seventh and Eighth Grade Remedial; Athletics
21. Raymond M. Radtke—Industrial Arts, General Science
22. Vincent Davies—Industrial Arts, General Science
23. Edna Trulan—Art
24. Roberta Schlosser—Music
25. John C. Fraser—Instrumental Music
26. Wallace Smith—String Instruments
27. Lucy Cardwell—Homemaking, Ninth Year Home Economics
28. Dorothy Simmons—Homemaking, Grade Home Economics
29. Florence E. Anderson — Nurse, Attendance Officer; Hygiene
30. Ramona Schindler—Asst. Nurse, Attendance Officer; Hygiene
31. Lois Pontius—Dental Hygienist
32. Frank Cooley — Physical Education, Director Athletics
33. Anne Driscoll — Physical Education, Athletics
34. Aileen Poole—Secretary
35. Betty Sherman—Clerk



This is a tramp steamer, a smoke-begrimed gypsy ship, answering the call of the seven seas and bent on multifarious errands.

Our classes can be pictured as such steamers, bent on the errands of learning and co-operation. As the ship steams oceanward with the products of the hinterland, so may our classes go forward with products of work well done.

As we pulled up our anchor and left port in September, we realized that this was to be our last, happy voyage together.

First of all came elections! From our crew of eighty-seven, we chose Jack Carpenter as president, Mary Frances Zona, vice-president; Jean Bentley, secretary; and Mark Sinicropi, treasurer.

The first event on our voyage was our three-act comedy, "Ever Since Eve," in November.

The highlight of the social year came next—the Senior Ball with its winter night theme and King John III and Queen Jean holding court.

Miss Julia O'Brien
Adviser

OUR ADVISERS and OFFICERS

Miss Hammond, Adviser; Sinicropi, Treasurer; Carpenter, President; Zona, Vice-President; Bentley, Secretary; Smith, Adviser.

We forfeited some of our pleasures aboard ship for the all important task of collecting data for this *Mynder-sian* which went to press in early spring.

As June nears, we look back with affection and gratitude to Miss O'Brien, our chief adviser, and Miss Smith and Miss Hammond who assisted in guiding us patiently and successfully through senior year.

CLASS OF

Josephine Agnello

N. Elizabeth Amidon

Robert Andrews

Robert Aronson

Richard Ashbaugh

Charles Baker

Delores Belcher

Mary Bellomo

JOSEPHINE JEAN AGNELLO—Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Library Club 4; Hearth Club 4. *Judging by Josie's skill at law, she should help Portia face life.* . . . **NINA ELIZABETH AMIDON**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Tumbling 1, 2; Senior Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Festival 2, 3, Operetta 3; Band Majorette 1; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament Committee 1, 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Red Cross Council 3, Secretary 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Court and Committee 3; Le Cercle francais 3, 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Does Betty want to be the lady of the lake?* . . . **ROBERT GRANT ANDREWS**—Intramurals 1. *He graduated—from scooter to car.* . . . **ROBERT BERNARD ARONSON**—Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Competitions 2, 3, 4; Wig and Rouge 1, 2; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Football 2, 3, 4; Microphone 2, 3, 4, Business Manager 4; Pan American Assembly 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Class Treasurer 3; Block M 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Boys' State 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Student Council 4; Junior Kiwanian 4; Honor Student 4. *Even though vanquished, he could argue still—with apologies to Goldsmith.* . . . **RICHARD ROY ASHBAUGH**—Freshman Dance Committee 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Crew 1, 2, 3, 4; Movie Operator 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 2, 3, 4; Wig and Rouge 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4, All-State 3, 4; Junior Jumbles 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Senior Play 4; Myndersian 4. *Dickus is a bit of a dreamer, who likes stage, screen, and theater arts.* . . . **CHARLES BORROMEO BAKER**—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Le Cercle francais 2, 3, 4, President 3; Track 3, 4; Block M 3, 4; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Happy-go-lucky, that's Charlie.* . . . **DELORES JEAN BELCHER**—Transfer from Elmira Southside High; A Cappella Choir 1; Tri-Y 1; Humane Society 1; Mynderse Academy: Tumbling Club 2, 3; Latin Club 3; Hearth Club 4. *"Chuck" will probably appreciate her homemaking ability.* . . . **MARY LUCILLE BELLOMO**—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Operetta 3, Music Festival 2, 3, 4; All-State 4; Pan-American Assembly 2; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 3, 4; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Myndersian 4. *One of the leading "Gibson Girls" in Mynderse.*

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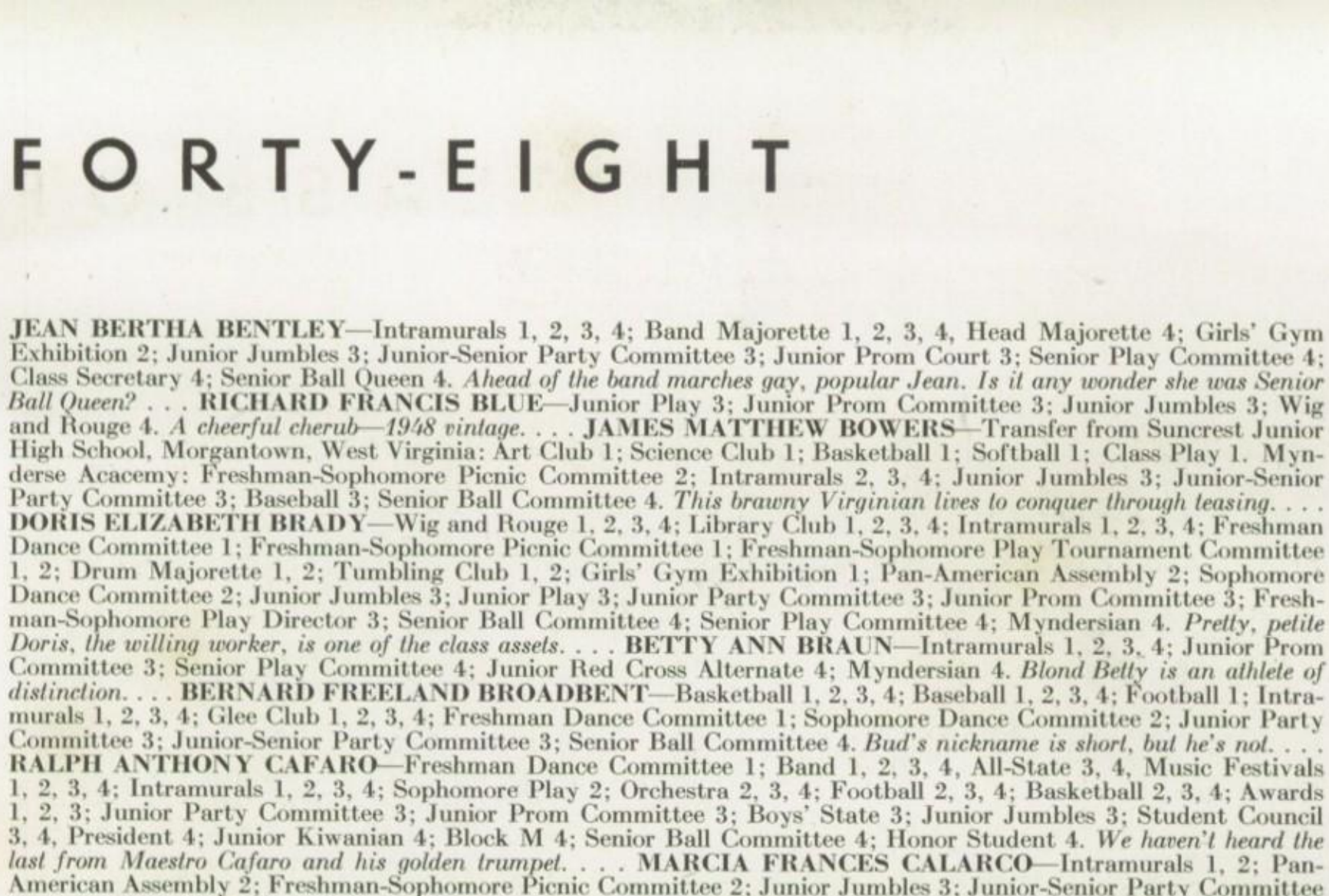
JEAN BERTHA BENTLEY—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4, Head Majorette 4; Girls' Gym Exhibition 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Court 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Class Secretary 4; Senior Ball Queen 4. *Ahead of the band marches gay, popular Jean. Is it any wonder she was Senior Ball Queen?* . . . **RICHARD FRANCIS BLUE**—Junior Play 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Wig and Rouge 4. *A cheerful cherub—1948 vintage.* . . . **JAMES MATTHEW BOWERS**—Transfer from Suncrest Junior High School, Morgantown, West Virginia: Art Club 1; Science Club 1; Basketball 1; Softball 1; Class Play 1. Mynderse Acacemy: Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 2; Intramurals 2, 3, 4; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Baseball 3; Senior Ball Committee 4. *This brawny Virginian lives to conquer through teasing.* . . . **DORIS ELIZABETH BRADY**—Wig and Rouge 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament Committee 1, 2; Drum Majorette 1, 2; Tumbling Club 1, 2; Girls' Gym Exhibition 1; Pan-American Assembly 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Play 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Freshman-Sophomore Play Director 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Pretty, petite Doris, the willing worker, is one of the class assets.* . . . **BETTY ANN BRAUN**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Junior Red Cross Alternate 4; Myndersian 4. *Blond Betty is an athlete of distinction.* . . . **BERNARD FREELAND BROADBENT**—Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4. *Bud's nickname is short, but he's not.* . . . **RALPH ANTHONY CAFARO**—Freshman Dance Committee 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, All-State 3, 4, Music Festivals 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Play 2; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Awards 1, 2, 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Boys' State 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Student Council 3, 4, President 4; Junior Kiwanian 4; Block M 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Honor Student 4. *We haven't heard the last from Maestro Cafaro and his golden trumpet.* . . . **MARCIA FRANCES CALARCO**—Intramurals 1, 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *She's not from the South, but she's our "Swanee Gal."*



Jean Bentley | Richard Blue | James Bowers | Doris Brady

Betty Braun | Bernard Broadbent | Ralph Cafaro | Marcia Calarco

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Vera Calarco | Honor Calland | Vincent Caraccilo | John Carpenter

Julia Carter | Benny Caruso | L. Edward Catherman | Angelo Cherchia

VERA MAY CALARCO—Intramurals 2, 3; Pan-American Program 2; Junior Jumblcs 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Senior Ball Court 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Introducing Vera, the other half of that dynamic twosome.* . . . **HONOR EILEEN CALLAND**—Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2, President 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Pan-American Assembly 2; Microphone 2, 3, 4, News Editor 4; Bond and Stamp Committee 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Honor-bright? Of course, and amusing too.* . . . **VINCENT LEWIS CARACCILO**—Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Le Cercle francais 3, 4; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Student Council 4, Sergeant-at-Arms 4. *Vince, with his impish grin and personality plus, is one of the Romeos of '48.* . . . **JOHN ROBERT CARPENTER**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Band and Stamp Committee 1; Award 1; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Festival 1, 2, 3, 4, All-State 4, Manager 4; Football 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4, Festival 2, 3, 4, Operetta 3; Track 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Boys' State 3; Orchestra 4; Junior Rotarian 4; Senior Play 4; Class President 4; Senior Ball King and Committee 4; Student Council 4; Myndersian 4; Honor Student 4. *Piano is to President Truman as the baritone is to President Jack.* . . . **JULIA MARIE CARTER**—Glee Club 2, 3, 4, Festival 2, 3, 4, Operetta 3; Intramurals 2, 3; Pan-American Assembly 2; Science Club 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Latin Club 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Blushing Julie is one of Room 19's friendliest girls.* . . . **BENNY MICHELE CARUSO**—Intramurals 1, 2; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Senor Play Committee 4. *I. G. A.—Intelligent, generous, ambitious—that's Benny.* . . . **LEWIS EDWARD CATHERMAN**—Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4. *Ed's reputation for quietness doesn't extend to Fayette.* . . . **ANGELO JOHN CHERCHIA**—Freshman Dance Committee 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Le Cercle francais 1, 2, 3; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Dance Committee 3; Track Manager 3. *Angelo has a hard name to live up to, but then we're all very helpful—ahem!*

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ELEANORE MAE CLINE—Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, Treasurer 4; Intramurals 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Bond and Stamp Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Play 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior Red Cross 4, Secretary 4; Wig and Rouge 4; Senior Ball Committee and Court 4; Myndersian 4. *Eleanore's gaiety and vivaciousness can well account for her many friends.* . . . **DONALD RICHARD COMISKEY**—Freshman Dance Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Block M 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; Track 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3. *Here's M. A.'s crashing tackle.* . . . **DONALD EDWARD CRAMER**—Basketball Manager 1, 2; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Football 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Don't blow your top. Ask Don for the chemical answer.* . . . **DORIS ALBERTA DARK**—Wig and Rouge 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament 1, 2, Director 3; Intramurals 1, 2, 4; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Class Secretary 1; Library Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Latin Club 2, 3, Aedile 3; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Play 3; Junior Dance and Prom Committees 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Microphone 4; Myndersian 4. *Her serious ambition is to be a doctor, but in the meantime she brightens our days with tireless energy and infectious giggles.* . . . **KENNETH WILLIAM DEAN**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic 1, 2. *He left us in February to return to the land.* . . . **JEAN ELIZABETH DEARY**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Playdays 1, 2; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Tumbling Club 1, 2; Gym Exhibition 1, 2; Majorette 2, 3; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3, 4; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4; Announcement Committee 4. *She's good in sports, and clever in retorts.* . . . **DAVID GILBERT DEMING**—Intramurals 1, 2; Science Club 1; Sophomore Hop Committee 2; Junior Party Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4. *A grin+a girl+a gun=Mort.* . . . **NANCY GUY DOANE**—Freshman Dance and Party Committees 1; Glee Club 1; Tumbling Club 1, 2; Gym Exhibition 1, 2; Student Assembly Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament 1, 2, Director 3; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Playdays 1, 2, 4; Wig and Rouge 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4; War Bond and Stamp Committee 1; Awards 1, 2; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Red Cross 2, Vice-President 2; Latin Club 2, 3, Cantor 2, Consul 3; Microphone 3, 4, Associate Editor 4; Empire State School Press Conference 4; Girls' Athletic Association 3, 4, Vice-President 3, President 4; Student Council 3, Corresponding Secretary 3; Junior Play 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Prom Court and Committee 3; Empire Girls' State 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Senior Play 4; Senior Ball Court and Committee 4; D. A. R. Essay Contest 4; Myndersian Editor-in-Chief 4; Valedictorian 4. *Vivid, vibrant Nancy has played a stellar class role with grace.*

Eleanore Cline | Donald Comiskey | Donald Cramer | Doris Dark

Kenneth Dean | Jean Deary | D. Gilbert Deming | Nancy Doane

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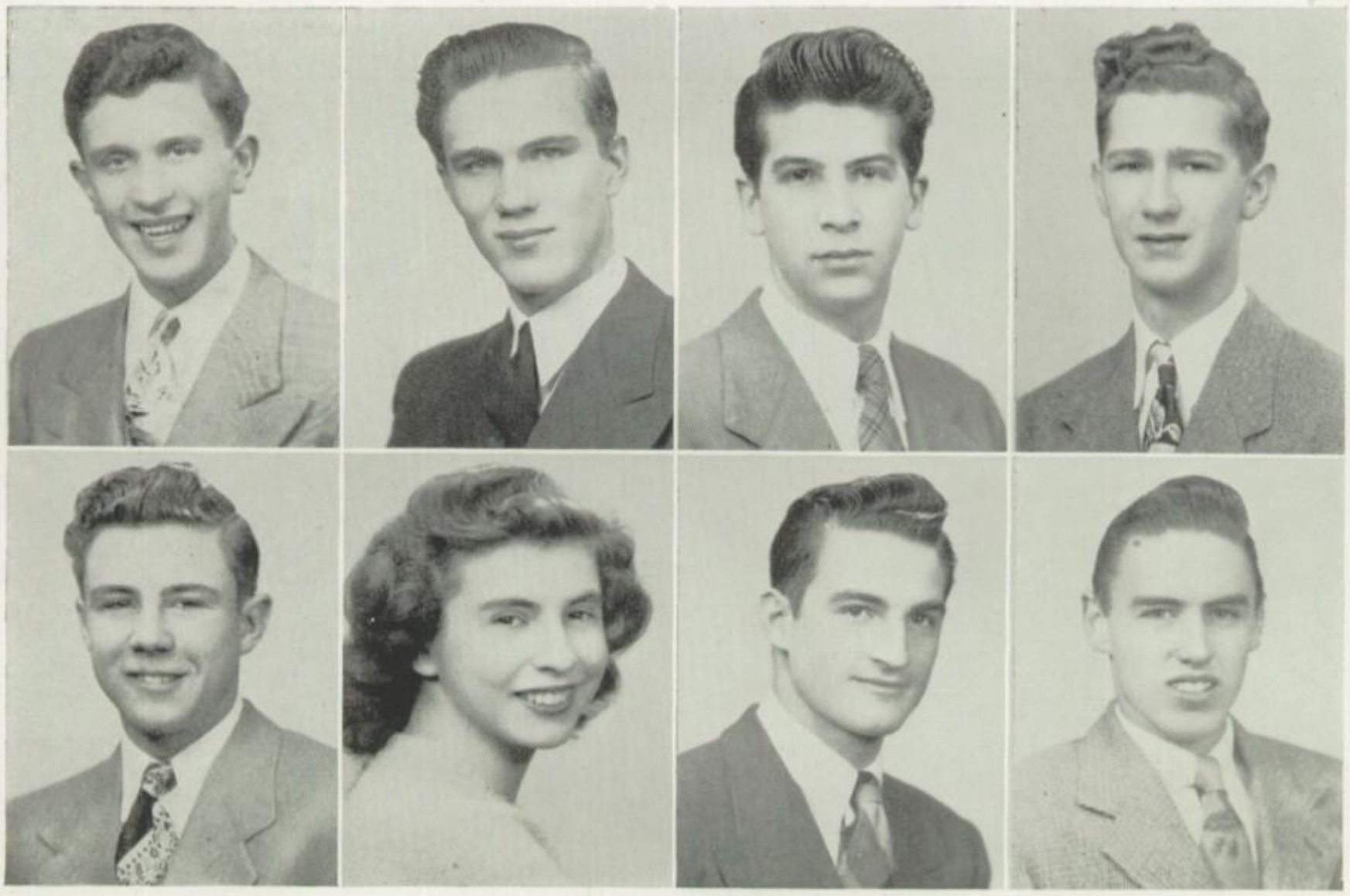
Joseph Dombrowski | James Durnin | Marco Errico | Dino Franceschi



Wendell Frankenfield | Isabel Frappolli | Albert Gallina | John Gilmore

JOSEPH FRANCIS DOMBROWSKI—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Airplane Club 2; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior-Senoir Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Bowling Team 4. *A bubbling personality in a carefree boy describes Joe. . . .* **JAMES NICHOLAS DURNIN**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Baseball 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4. *According to the cards Jim's business future should be bright. . . .* **MARCO PETER ERRICO**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Band 4. *Judging from his auto's hue, Marco's favorite color is blue. . . .* **DINO ENZO FRANCESCHI**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Tumbling Club 1, 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Dance Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4. *A playboy—we mean intramurals. . . .* **WENDELL SYLVAN FRANKENFIELD**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Pan-American Assembly 2; Airplane Club 2, 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Senior Ball Committee 4. *"Windy" enjoys nothing better than being girls' "pest" friend. . . .* **ISABEL RENA FRAPPOLLI**—Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3. *Isabelle majors in La Verne. Interesting subject, isn't he, Issy? . . .* **ALBERT ANTHONY GALLINA**—Glee Club 1; Tumbling Club 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Basketball 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Stageman 3, 4; Award 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Senor Ball Committee 4; Bowling Team 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *A live wire who can string them along. . . .* **JOHN EMANUEL GILMORE**—Tumbling Club 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Dance Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4. *John wants to be a millionaire and retire at twenty-one.*

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HENRY EDWARD GLEASON—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Tumbling Club 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play 4; Bowling Team 4; Senior Play Committee 4. *If you need a good man on an intramural team, holler for Hen—ry.* . . . **JANE ARLENE GOODWIN**—Tumbling Club 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Operetta Committee 3, All-State 4; Music Festivals 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3,4; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Junior Red Cross 4, President 4; Senior Play 4; Myndersian 4. *Jane is a girl with a song in her heart and a smile on her face.* . . . **JOAN MARIE GORTON**—Glee Club 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 2, 3, 4; Pan-American Program 2; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Queen and Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Class Vice-President 3; Senior Play 4; Student Council Secretary 4; Senior Ball Court 4; Microphone 4; Wig and Rouge 4; Red Cross Alternate 4; Myndersian 4. *Gay, attractive Joan, who could help but love her?* . . . **LILLIAN BELLE GREEN**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Hearth Club 4. *In school, demure; outside, not sure.* . . . **DONALD COMSTOCK HADLEY**—Intramurals 1, 4; Wig and Rouge 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3, President 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Festival 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Microphone 2, 3, Magazine Editor 3, Empire State School Press Conference 3; Basketball 2, 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Student Council 4; Senior Play 4; Myndersian 4; Junior Kiwanian 4; Honor Student 4. *Born with a gift for laughter, Don can make some-pun out of nothin'.* . . . **JOHN EDWARD HANLIN**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Le Cercle francais 2, 3; Baseball 3, 4. *Jack always has excuses but he never brings them to school.* . . . **FRANK RICHARD HECKER**—Football 2. *Bud, our ex-Marine, looks quite shy, but Nancy knows better.* . . . **KATHLEEN DORIS KENNEDY**—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Competition Festival 2, 3, 4, Operetta 3, All-State 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3. *A girl and a voice—both very nice.*

Henry Gleason

Jane Goodwin

Joan Gorton

Lillian Green

Donald Hadley

John Hanlin

Frank Hecker

Kathleen Kennedy

CLASS OF

J. D. King | Carol Kissel | Angeline Klandatos | Rose Klionsky

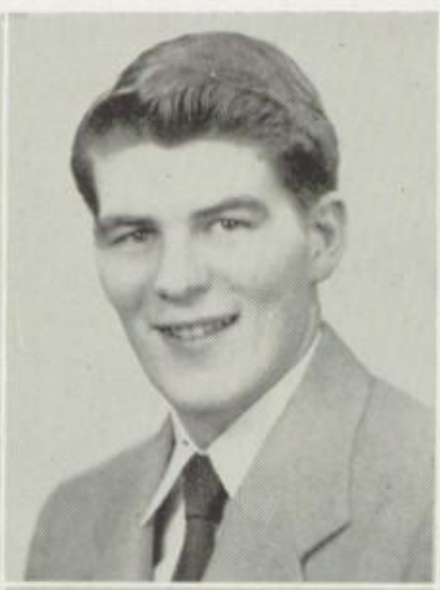
Rose Lama | Marvin Lay | Lee Letizia | John Mahoney

J. D. KING— *Unfathomable describes J. D. Even his name is mysterious.* . . . **CAROL HELEN KISSEL**—Glee Club 1; Library Club 1; Tumbling Club 1, 2; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Le Cercle francais 2, 3, 4; Minister of Programs 2, Minister Without Portfolio 3, 4; Wig and Rouge 2, 3, 4; Microphone 2, 3, 4; Pan-American Assembly 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Elmira Key Award 3; Junior Play 3; Junor Prom Committee 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Assistant Director of Freshman Play 3; Senior Play 4; Myndersian 4; Student Council Alternate 4; Honor Student 4. *A small parcel of dynamic energy, that's Carol.* . . . **ANGELINE KLANDATOS**—Glee Club 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Acanthus Club 4; Myndersian 4. *A good looking mimic, that's Ann.* . . . **ROSE RACHEL KLIONSKY**—Library Club 1; Wig and Rouge 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Tumbling Club 1, 2; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Awards 2, 3; Latin Club 2, 3, Janitor 2, Consul 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Microphone 3, 4; Junior Red Cross 3, 4, National Convention 3, Adviser 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Myndersian 4; Honor Student 4. *If it's possible, Rosie'll do it.* . . . **ROSE MARIE LAMA**—Glee Club 1, 2, Concert 1, Operetta 2; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Pan-American Assembly 2; Hearth Club 3, 4; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4. "*My love is like a red, red rose,*" *by Emerson.* (*of course we know about Burns.*) . . . **MARVIN WILLIS LAY**—Science Club 1; Football 2; Band 2, 3, 4, Festival 2, 3, 4; Microphone 2, 3; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Orchestra 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Myndersian 4; Junior Kiwanian 4. *Love makes the world go 'round, and "Marv" is dizzy.* . . . **LEE ANTHONY LETIZIA**—Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 1; Microphone 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Block M 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Junior Kiwanian 4. *Lee's very flattering in his attention to the girl of the moment and does his technique work!* . . . **JOHN PATRICK MAHONEY**—Intramurals 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Airplane Club 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3. *Put Jack behind the wheel of his father's car and watch that Ford go!*

FORTY-EIGHT

EDWIN MATHIAS MARSH—Football 1. *"Red" is a Navy man, and also quite a man with the Waterloo girls....* **HAROLD JAMES MARTIN**—Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Class President 1; Wig and Rouge 1; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament 1; Band 1, 2; Baseball 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3. *Jim's been in service in Japan; the things he's known and seen!* . . . **BARBARA JEAN MILELLA**—Freshman Dance Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Court and Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Acanthus Club 4; Announcement Committee 4. *A fashion-wise dancer, who has added a gay note to 1948's parties.* . . . **JAMES ALBERT MILELLA**—Freshman Dance Committee 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Band 4. *He's rather short but mighty "hep!"* . . . **MARGARET AILEEN MORGAN**—Trasnfer from Lawrenceburg High School, Lawrenceburg, Indiana; Glee Club 1. Mynderse Academy: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Competition Festival 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Acanthus 3, 4, Vice-Presdent 3, President 4; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Award 3; Le Cercle francais 4; Senior Play 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Peggy, as a Southern gal in the senior play, nearly started another Civil War...* **RITA ALBERTA OLIN**— *Her manner is incurably gentle....* **THOMAS HARVEY OLMSTEAD**—Freshman Dance Committee 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Microphone 4; Junior Kiwanian 4. *Whether it's shooting for baskets or debating in history, Tommy always sinks them....* **LEONARD JAMES PASSIFIONE**—Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Block M 2, 3, 4, President 4; Student Council 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3. *Lenny is an all-around sportsman and an all-around pal.*

Edwin Marsh



H. James Martin

Barbara Milella

James Milella

Margaret Morgan

Rita Olin

Thomas Olmstead

Leonard Passifione

CLASS OF

Anthony Piscitelli | Norman Pontius | Dorothy Reynolds | L. Roseline Reynolds

Helen Riley | Louis Rizzieri | Dorothy Rogers | Ronald Schaertl

ANTHONY JOHN PISCITELLI—Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Football 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Track 3, 4; Junior Party Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Science Club 4. *For football, basketball, or track, "Pisky" really has a knack.* . . . **NORMAN ANSLEY PONTIUS**—Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Student Assembly Committee 1, 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Microphone 2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Myndersian 3, 4, Photographic Editor 4; Wig and Rouge 4; Junior Kiwanian 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee 4. *Here is incomparable Norm—philosopher, photographer, and "phriend."* . . . **DOROTHY IRENE REYNOLDS**—Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Intramurals 3, 4; Senior Play Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Glee Club 4; Acanthus Club 4; Myndersian 4. *We never find "Dot" without "Don."* . . . **LAURA ROSELINE REYNOLDS**—Intramurals 1, 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4, Music Festivals 2, 3, 4; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Hearth Club 4. *Brown-eyed Roseline has the legal mind.* . . . **HELEN PATRICIA RILEY**—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3, Secretary 4, Music Festivals 2, 3, Operetta 3; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 1; Junior Red Cross Council 1; Tumbling Club 1, 2, 3; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Freshman Dance and Party Committees 1; Gym Exhibition 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Play Days 2, 4; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Court and Committee 3; Le Cercle francais 3; Girls' Athletic Association 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *A "rootin' tootin'" Mynderse cheerleader and Reveille columnist!* . . . **LOUIS ROY RIZZIERI**—Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Freshman Party Committee 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Baseball Manager 2; Le Cercle francais 2, 3, 4, President 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4, Captain 3; Block M 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Microphone 4. *Objective: girls and sports. Mission accomplished.* . . . **DOROTHY AUGUSTA ROGERS**—Hearth Club 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4. *Comfortable describes Dorothy, a homemaking major.* . . . **RONALD SCHAERTL**—Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Tumbling Club 1; Track 3, 4; Class President 3; Empire Boys' State 3; Student Council 3; Block M 3, 4. *Our brawny athlete.*

FORTY-EIGHT

LEWIS ACHILE SCIALDONE—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Senior Play Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee 4. *Louie gets a lot of thinking done by being quiet.* . . . **PETER CARL SHUSTER**—Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Solo 2, 3; Glee Club 3, 4, Operetta 3; Senior Play 4; Junior Kiwanian 4. *Deliberate describes Pete who nevertheless gets just about what he wants-eventually.* . . . **ELIZABETH RITA SINICROPI**—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Red Cross Council 4, Treasurer 4; Intramurals 4; Announcement Committee,4. *Agreeable "Liz" has many friends.* . . . **MARK ANGELO SINICROPI**—Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Music Festivals 1, 2, 3, 4, All-State 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Music Festivals 1, 2, 3, 4, President 3, All-State 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Tumbling Club 1; Junior Red Cross Council 1, 2, 3, Secretary 2; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Class Treasurer 1, 4; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Class President 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Orchestra 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Empire Boys' State 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Senior Play 4; Myndersian Business Manager 4; Junior Kiwanian 4. *Next is Mark, our top salesman and promoter, a "regular" person with a high batting average in popularity.* . . . **PAUL SMITH SISSON**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 1, 2; Microphone 2, 3, 4, News Editor 3, Editor-in-Chief 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball Manager 2; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Empire Boys' State 3; Junior Play 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Junior Rotarian 4; Senior Play 4; Block M 4; Myndersian 4; Honor Student 4. *Ambitious, serious, and always ready with the right answer sums up Paul.* . . . **MARY PATRICIA SMITH**—Glee Club 1, 3, 4, Music Festivals 1, 3, 4; Hearth Club 1; Junior Jumbles 3; Intramurals 3, 4. *Attractive Pat is our demon speedster.* . . . **SEYMOUR ARNOLD SPIEGELMAN**—Baseball 1; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Basketball 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Festivals 2, 3, 4, Solo Competition 1, 2, 3, All-State 3, 4; Freshman-Sophomore Play Tournament 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4, Librarian 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Block M 3, 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Senior Play 4; Myndersian 4; Student Council Alternate 4. *The class of '48's reason why teachers get gray—irrepressible Seymour.* . . . **LILLIAN ELIZABETH STOWELL**—Junior Red Cross Council 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Hearth Club 3, 4. *"Mums the word" is Lila's motto.*

Lewis Scialdone

Peter Shuster

Elizabeth Sinicropi

Mark Sinicropi

Paul Sisson

M. Patricia Smith

Seymour Spiegelman

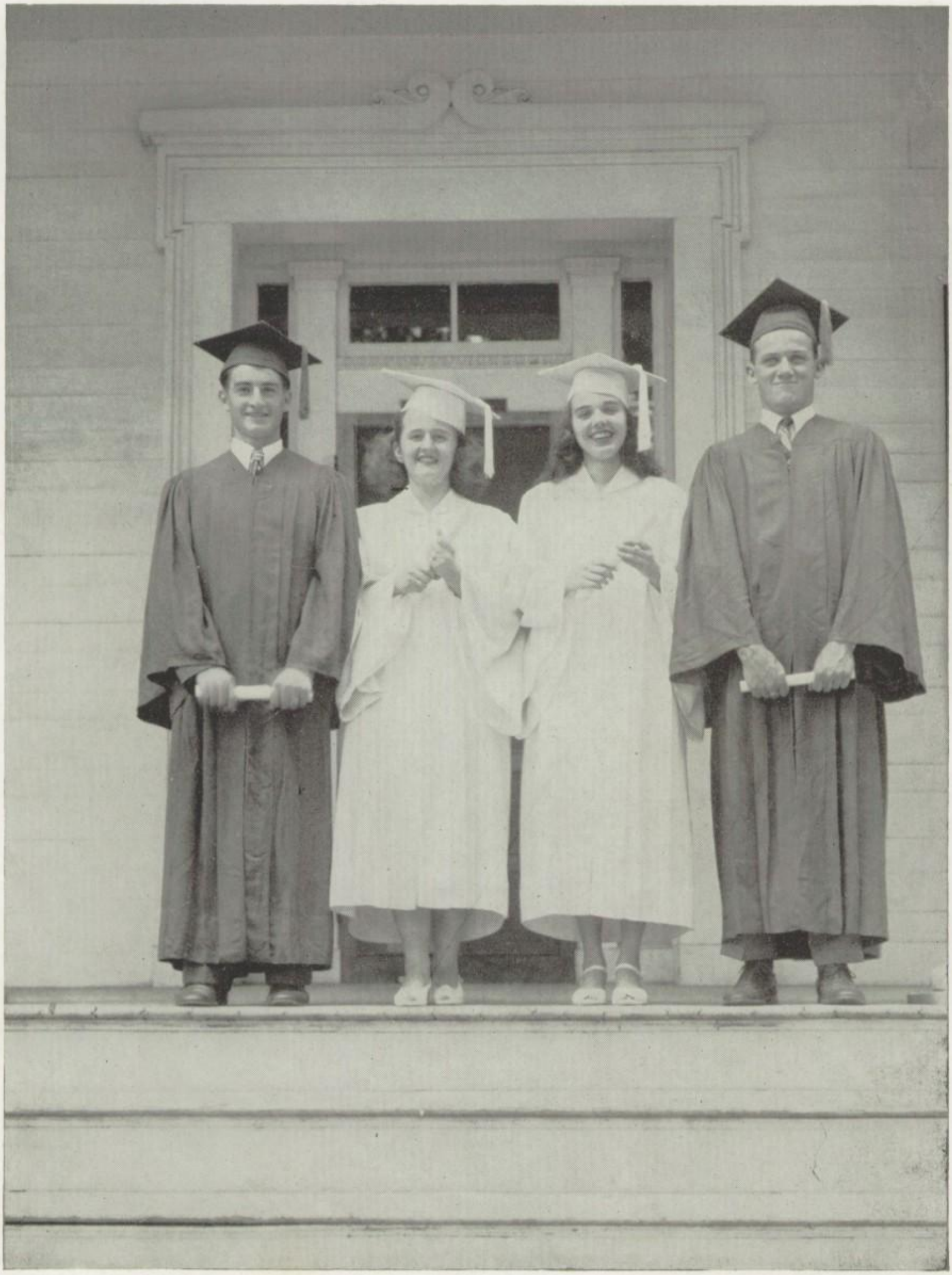
Lillian Stowell

CLASS OF FORTY-EIGHT

Doris Suglia | Kathleen Westen | Lawrence Wetmore | June Wolf

Ralph Worden | Richard Wright | Mary Frances Zona

DORIS TERESA SUGLIA—Glee Club 2, 3, 4, Operetta Committee 3, Competition Festival 2, 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3. *Where there's music, one can always find Doris.* . . . **KATHLEEN WESTEN**—Transfer from Lake Shore High School; Glee Club 1, 2; School Paper 1, 2; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Class Picnic Committee 1, 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2. Mynderse Academy: Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Dance Committee 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Court 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Myndersian 4. *Our intriguing blonde from out Detroit way.* . . . **LAWRENCE WARDELL WETMORE**—Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Baseball 2, 3; Wig and Rouge 2, 3, 4; Football Manager 2, 3, 4; Junior Play 3; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Orchestra 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Basketball Manager 4. *Meet Larry who is going to be a pharmacist and drug the customers with his smile.* . . . **JUNE ARLENE WOLF**—Glee Club 1, 2; Intramurals 1, 2; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Hearth Club 4. *What's in a name?* . . . **RALPH MARR WORDEN**—Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Band 2. *Living in the country doesn't slow Ralph down any.* . . . **RICHARD WESLEY WRIGHT**—Transfer from Union Springs Central School; Glee Club 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Wrestling 2; Football 3. *Dick came to the Wright place, to Mynderse from Union Springs.* . . . **MARY FRANCES ZONA**—Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 4; Junior Red Cross Council 1; Freshman-Sophomore Picnic Committee 2; Pan-American Assembly 2; Junior Jumbles 3; Junior-Senior Party Committee 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Junior Play Committee 3; Junior Party Committee 3; Student Council Alternate 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Senior Ball Court 4; Class Vice-President 4; Myndersian 4; Salutatorian 4. *Although Mary Frances has a certain reserve and lots of intelligence, she's fun to know.*



As we leave thee, Alma Mater,
To tread paths anew.

CLASS OF

OFFICERS

Jack Seitz	*President*
Josephine Blawski	*Vice-President*
Antoinette Lilla	*Secretary*
Donald Mackey	*Treasurer*
Mrs. Oliver, Miss Miller, Mr. Becker	*Advisers*

Hi! Here we are as upperclassmen. We have lived through the trials and tribulations of the past two years to become Jolly Juniors.

The Junior Class started the social ball rolling with the first big event of the year, the Junior Party. The theme was a Country Carnival. Any cares accumulated so early in the year were danced away to the music of Pete Beatini's Orchestra. The decorations and refreshments helped to provide an evening of entertainment.

That the Class of '49 is versatile was proved this year by the number of its members participating in the activities of such organizations as Wig and Rouge, Glee Club, Band, Acanthus Club, Science Club, and French Club. Many of the boys were on the Varsity teams in sports. There were also intramural teams for both boys and girls. Some of our best athletes qualified for Block M and G. A. A.

We were unable to present the annual Junior talent show; however, considerable talent was displayed in our Junior Play, a hilarious hit called "The Inner Willy." Never will we forget Bob Sullivan's capering around the stage in his long flannel sleepers. A vote of thanks goes to Miss Allen for her fine directing, which helped make the play a success.

The next venture on our program was the Junior-Senior Party. This was really a jolly send off for the grave, old Seniors, with the 3 F's, Fun, Food, and Frolic, for all.

Toward the end of the year we started working on plans for the Junior Prom. It is our desire to hold a Prom delightful in every way—one that will be remembered always with pleasure.

Back in the fall we elected Jack Seitz to the presidency. He took his job seriously, and with vice-president Josie Blawski to assist him, he led us competently through our Junior Year. Netta Lilla took care of the duties of secretary, and Don Mackey was kept busy keeping track of the funds of the class.

No class history would be complete without mention being made of the advisers, who guide us so well. Our thanks go to them.

It has been a good year, with much fun thrown in with the work. Perhaps next year we will have to settle down more, but we will always remember, rather wistfully, our year as Jolly Juniors.

Mary Louise Allen
Class of '49

FORTY-NINE

Fourth Row: Rossi, Taber, Scaramuzzino, Zettlemoyer, Sandroni, Freeland, Waters, Sullivan, Vergamini, Peterson, Rutz, Lemma. *Third Row:* Martel, Oakes, Odell, Del Russo, Deming, Seitz, Pratt, Deal, Weart. *Second Row:* Blue, Payne, Hartman, Verzillo, Giovannetti, Mackey, Lyman, Wilson, Giovannini, Snyder, Jones. *First Row:* Mastroleo, Bennett, Desmore, Faioli, Paradise, Eighmey, Capacci, Serling, Hibbard, Knipper.

Fourth Row: Suglia, Blawksi, Lamuraglia, Didio, Annetta, Zona, Greenly, Bromley, Green, Dragone, LaManna, Amidon, Farney, Mellini. *Third Row:* Byrne, Lapomarda, Luckern, Shepherd, Rogers, Johnson. *Second Row:* Bowen, Timmons, Landberg, Stahl, Cappello, Rawson, Reynolds, Coffey, Holcomb, DeWall, Crough, Beatini. *First Row:* Mackin, Jorgensen, Van Cleef, Lilla, Martello, Leno, Allen, Yates, Wade, Bowman, Hayes.

CLASS OF

OFFICERS

Dick Clark	*President*
Frances Terrusi	*Vice-President*
Anne DePasquale	*Secretary*
Francis Turkett	*Treasurer*
Mrs. Shannon, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. Marshall	*Advisers*

"Rusty Sophomores!" That's what we were called when September found us back on deck for school. Settled in our respective homerooms, our first task was to elect a slate of officers. Dick Clark came out on top as president and Frances Terrusi was elected vice-president. Anne DePasquale became our secretary and Francis Turkett was given the job of treasurer.

With selections successfully completed we settled down to our studying and activities. We were well represented in Latin and French Clubs; Band and Glee Club. Still others of us entered Wig and Rouge, Science Club, Hearth Club and "Microphone."

We didn't let our school down in basketball either. Many of our boys can really be praised for their teamwork and sportsmanship on the J. V. Team.

In intramurals both boys and girls were active participants, engaging in basketball, volleyball, and baseball.

With the advent of Midyears we settled down to real studying. For a time we showed the serious side of our nature, but when that eventful week was past homework was once again neglected in favor of the more interesting things in school life.

Our annual Soph Hop was the first on the schedule of fun and good times that were to come. With the co-operation of all it turned out to be a big success and the gym was really packed on April ninth.

The Frosh-Soph Play Tournament which followed really made us proud of our class talent. A few of us, at least, will have little trouble finding a place in Hollywood or on Broadway.

Our Frosh-Soph Picnic at Cayuga Lake State Park closed the jam-packed year. We had plenty of fun and more than enough hot dogs and lemonade.

As we remember the good times we have had through the year, we think of our advisers who did such a splendid job in making our second year at Mynderse something never to be forgotten.

Although we are going into dry dock now for the summer, we expect to set sail again in September for a gay Junior course, in untroubled waters, thanks to our collective experience from this last year.

Donna Freeland
Class of '50

FIFTY

Fourth Row: Sharp, Sandy, Lama, Freeland, Batty, Reynolds, Babcock, Seman, Amidon, Jorgensen, Knight, McParland, McBride, Crane, Vreeland, Terrusi. *Third Row:* Smith, Mastroleo, Rossi, Brown, DePasquale, Lind, Knapp, Ryan, Duonolo, Magill. *Second Row:* Klandatos, Toni, Woods, Woodward, Dalessio, Piscitelli, Manzari, Lombardo, Eno, Hosford, Colgrove, Selleck. *First Row:* Bolich, Fisher, Stahl, Horle, Jones, Barrett, Meeks, Gaines, Buck, Costello, Campbell, Berry.

Fourth Row: W. Hughes, Perrotto, Lama, Knapp, Keach, Kreutter, Dombrowski, Borden, Krantz. *Third Row:* W. Shuster, Twist, Riegel, D. Shuster, Sinicropi, Peone, Reardon, Cracknell, Baker. *Second Row:* Turkett, Russo, Parker, Messmer, W. Smith, Cammuso, C. Smith, Staley, Povero, L. Smith. *First Row:* Piloi, Dober, Brand, Peterson, J. Hughes, Brady, Dowd, Yeo, Marsh, Clark, Carpenter.

CLASS OF

OFFICERS

Gerald Schaertl	*President*
Elmer Farney	*Vice-President*
Dina Franceschi	*Secretary*
Samuel Cherchia	*Treasurer*
Miss Trulan, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Seld, Mr. Reed	*Advisers*

Early in September many excited Freshmen scurried to board the waiting steamer before the warning whistle should blow. The beloved old vessel upon whose decks generations of loyal passengers had trodden was about to sail once more on the Sea of Knowledge. The destination was a year of fun and adventure. As the majestic bird glided out to sea manned by the experienced crew, it carried aboard several to whom the ship was strange and awesome but also many who knew it as the familiar guiding light.

The boat sped on and those within its cabins grew to know each other well and all enjoyed immensely the entertainment provided by the many clubs. Often the sea was rough and the clouds were gray, but this did not dampen their spirits as they gathered to watch their schoolmates compete in various games and to cheer them on to victory. Then as Christmas neared, the ship drew into the home port and all departed for two weeks of winter pleasure.

On January 3 the first class boarded the boat once more and the waters became stormy and the clouds hung low overhead. They were passing into the channel of Midyear Exams. But soon the sea calmed, the clouds lifted and the studious sailors went about with lighter hearts. If an eagle had flown overhead in the days that followed it would certainly have wondered what caused the excitement in the vessel below. The object of all this confusion was the annual Freshman Dance held in early spring.

This event over, on they sailed but now upon an angry sea while thunder roared and lightning flashed. Everyone was hard at work rehearing the class play. The greatest desire was to triumph over the Sophomores in the annual tournament.

Days followed when the sun shone through fleecy white clouds and azure waters gently lapped the sides of the ship. It was a spring day like this when the two classes were brought together once more for the annual Freshman-Sophomore picnic. But this meeting was one of friendliness and gaiety. Then 1951's steamer sailed on and conquered the dangers of the troubled Sea of Exams and approached their destination—Sophomore Land. With grateful hearts to their pilots, those helpful teachers who had made this possible, the faithful vessel reached port and docked. As the Class of 1951 stood on the gangplank and looked back over the waters they had travelled they knew that their Freshman cruise was a great adventure.

Alice Bolich
Class of '51

FIFTY-ONE

Fourth Row: Franceschi, Hauss, Ashley, K. Conley, E. Conley, Gibbs, Hilbert, Broadbent, Clark, Joslyn, Lind, Martin, Holland, N. Soscia, Brown. *Third Row:* Smith, Covert, Ashbaugh, Marcuccili, Lynch, Christopher, Andreas, DeStefano, R. Soscia, Keating. *Second Row:* Walters, Zona, L. Smith, Carbone, Van Houten, Fredenburgh, Bells, DeLelys, Keach, Lilla, G. Carroll, Rossi, Bolich, Griggs. *First Row:* Joan Carroll, Mills, Bennett, Peterman, Buck, Reynolds, Platten, Kinney, Weaver, Jane Carroll, Healey, Marrapese.

Fourth Row: Knight, DePasquale, Vergamini, Malone, Walters, Jones, Rogers, Hubbard, Lafler, Mahoney, Irish, Alford, Galgano, Smith, Bianchi. *Third Row:* Schaertl, DiDomenico, Farney, Beerse, Eighmey, Marconi, Saracino, Kreager, Benassi, DiNatale, H. Brown. *Second Row:* Appell, Nugent, Annis, Desmond, Pitrella, Dark, Grinstead, Staudmeyer, Cooley, D'Urso, Fahey, Van Houten, Urwin. *First Row:* Swinehart, Hilbert, Bonacci, Giovannetti, Cherchia, Hibbard, Wolf, Landberg, Laude, J. Brown, Wedge, Johnson.

EIGHTH GRADE

Fourth Row: Wade, Brewer, Yates, H. Jones, Gurba, Zona, Bears, Twist, Meeks, Kidd, Lamuraglia, Joan Parks, P. Jones, Decker, Santoro, Gigliotti. *Third Row:* Martel, Dutton, Beers, Salone, Kline, Walters, Moulton, Jean Parks, Del Russo, Brand, Jorgensen. *Second Row:* Struble, Hughes, Watkins, Rawson, Sinicropi, Timmons, Barrett, Blue, Sharp, Chubb, Eastman, Amidon, Morehouse, Souhan. *First Row:* Hartman, Murphy, Reigel, Bromley, Annetta, Thorpe, Church, Klandatos, Irland, Sharp, Farney, Buck, Knight, Decker, Paulich.

Fourth Row: Caraccilo, Denman, Rice, Garnsey, Shupp, Jackson, L. McCann, Olsowske, Schroeder, Ward, Gallina. *Third Row:* Eno, Carello, Palumbo, Von Bergen, Westen, Congdon, Reynolds, Conley, F. McCann. *Second Row:* Wolfe, Yeo, Bona, Smith, Hibbard, Parish, Dober, Stuck, Bonacci, Leno, McNaney, Blaisdell. *First Row:* Lapomardo, Deal, Campbell, Lawrence, Forshee, Wilson, Crull, Meyers, Cunningham, Decker, Cooney, Zwick, Irland.

SEVENTH GRADE

Fourth Row: Lilla, Pollard, Huff, Platten, Zettlemoyer, Shuster, Schroeder, Stapleton, Amidon, Bennett, Snyder, Potter, V. Bennett, Sherman, Knight, Bird. *Third Row:* Ashbaugh, Aldrich, R. Wilson, H. Wilson, B. Wilson, Sullivan, Soscia, Lockwood, Martin, St. Germain, Brown, Bishop. *Second Row:* Cline, Denard, A. Amidon, Spano, M. Snyder, Struble, Jones, E. McCann, Van Horn, Baker, Drum, G. Conley, Forjone, McComb. *First Row:* Sabatini, G. Fiorelli, L. Fiorelli, Scharett, Urwin, G. Baker, Salerno, Joan Brown, Brown, Reynolds, Morehouse, Parker, Howland.

Fourth Row: O'Connell, Green, Bastian, Congdon, Evans, Morey, Hilbert, David Eugene Rogers, Zwick. *Third Row:* Ellison, Romeo, Turkett, Wintermute, Shephard, Decker, Proseus, Carpenter. *Second Row:* Magill, Scharett, Sanderson, Andreas, Schmitt, Morehouse, McNabb, Irland, Young, Dombrowski. *First Row:* Cator, Livingston, Yates, Rauscher, Grinstead, Cusimano, Whiting, David Noel Rogers, Brunskill, Sherman.

1. The grand entrance.
2. Crowning Queen Jean.
3. "Waiting Ladies."
4. Pause that refreshes.
5. King John III.
6. Coming in on a wing and a song.
7. Seeing double?
8. Len and Toni on the prowl.
9. Pete looks the crowd over.

From the rugged battlements of Tyre, the Ancients looked down upon Cerulean waters crowded with these returning Phoenician Biremes—laden with trophies from many lands.

The members of our activities and organizations have pulled together, like the oarsmen of these ships, and have returned—laden with their trophies of friendship, accomplishment and good fun.

STUDENT COUNCIL

OFFICERS

Ralph Cafaro	*President*
Allen Odell	*Vice-President*
Joan Gorton	*Secretary*
James Carpenter	*Treasurer*
Miss Teresa Compitello, Mr. Vincent Davies	*Advisers*

Carpenter, Miss Compitello, Adviser; Sinicropi.

The council continued its activities of last year besides supporting the Bundle Drive for needy foreign children; co-operating with the P. T. A. in a demonstration by Mr. Fraser, Miss Driscoll, and Mr. Cooley to show progression in teaching instrumental music and physical education; collecting $100 for the March of Dimes; filling a CARE package and sending fruit baskets, flowers and sympathy cards.

Under council auspices five ranking seniors competed on a WGVA quiz program. Facilities of this station were used also for a "Career" program.

To increase friendly feeling the council held a dance for faculty and sudents and also promoted a game between the intramural champions of Waterloo and Mynderse.

The council will miss the expert guidance of Miss Compitello who is completing her second year as adviser. Mr. Davies carries over.

Back Row: Garnsey, Marconi, Staley, Rossi, Smith, Dober, Alford, Carella. *Middle Row:* Miss Compitello, Adviser; Rutz, Aronson, Clark, Jack Carpenter, Hadley, Seitz, Schaertl, Sinicropi, Stahl, Mr. Davis, Adviser. *First Row:* Cusimano, James Carpenter, Gorton, Odell, Cafaro, Didio, Caraccilo, F. Carpenter.

Back Row: Ashbaugh, Pontius, Lay, Hadley, Carpenter, Cramer, Reynolds, Klionsky, Gallina, Spiegelman, Baker. *Middle Row:* Sisson, Fegley, Wetmore, Goodwin, Braun, Amidon, Dark, Doane, Sinicropi, M. Calarco, Westen, V. Calarco, Calland, Deary. *First Row:* Morgan, Klandatos, Bellomo, Brady, Cline, Kissel, Gorton, Zona, Carter, Riley.

This is the twenty-third edition of the *Myndersian*, the work of thirty seniors, headed by Nancy Doane, editor-in-chief, and Mark Sinicropi, business manager, who are grateful to Miss O'Brien for her patient and enthusiastic guidance. At journey's end, the staff presents this logbook as evidence of 1948 accomplishments.

Nancy Doane
Editor

Julia H. O'Brien
Adviser

Mark Sinicropi
Business Manager

The 1948 Myndersian

Back Row: Dragone, Wade, Gorton, Luckern, Reynolds, Klionsky, Carpenter, Bennett, Marconi, Holcomb, Hayes, D. Freeland, Bolich, Woods, Annetta. *Middle Row:* Beatini, Mellini, Leno, Terrusi, Rizzieri, Blawski, Olmstead, R. Freeland, Oakes, Bowman, Sullivan, Kissel, Yates, Dark, Lilla. *First Row:* Didio, Pontius, Aronson, Miss Compitello, Adviser; Sisson, Doane, Landberg, Calland.

THE MYNDERSE MICROPHONE

The Mynderse Microphone, bi-weekly publication of Mynderse Academy, is still holding its own among papers of other leading schools. The paper was ably represented at the Empire State School Press Association meeting held in Syracuse where the Microphone was given a superior rating by E. S. S. P. A.

The Microphone has increased its circulation in school and out. It now carries on a "good neighbor" policy of exchanging papers with other schools.

This year, each member of the staff has had the opportunity to write for different sections of the paper—news, editorial, and magazine. Current topics, their pros and cons, are an added feature.

The achievements this year are due chiefly to Miss Compitello under whose guidance the paper remains in a top position with many high schools that have regular journalism courses.

Sisson, Editor; Miss Compitello, Adviser; Doane, Associate Editor; Pontius, Photographic Editor.

WIG AND ROUGE

OFFICERS

Donald Hadley	*President*
Nancy Doane	*Vice-President*
Rose Klionsky	*Secretary*
Robert Sullivan	*Treasurer*
Miss Margaret Allen	*Adviser*

Under the efficient guidance of Miss Allen, and the newly elected officers, the Wig and Rouge started off with a bang by presenting a special Christmas program, "A Miracle for Mary," for their first dramatic production.

The next accomplishment was the revision of the constitution of the dramatic club.

During the year, the members did make up for various school and local productions. Donations received from this work and from other organizations were put into a fund for the repair or purchase of curtains for the auditorium.

Other activities sponsored by the Wig and Rouge were the Frosh-Soph Play Tournament, the Prize Speaking Tournament and the annual dance, held this year in May.

The usual club picnic marked the end of a successful, enjoyable and worth-while year.

Back Row: Beatini, Dragone, Cline, Allen, Blue, Pontius, Wetmore, Kissel, Dark, Bolich, Selleck. *Middle Row:* Magill, Bowman, Gorton, Luckern, Holcomb, Bantuvanis, Freeland, Brady, Terrusi, Sandy, Colgrove, Sharp. *First Row:* Sullivan, Doane, Miss Allen, Adviser; Hadley, Klionsky.

SENIOR PLAY

"Ever Since Eve" boys have had troubles with girls, just as Johnny Clover did in the Senior Play. Susan, his childhood friend, and Lucybelle, the Southern gal, complicated matters for Johnny and his friend, Spud. The fun really began when the two boys caught the measles, and affairs were left in the hands of Susan. Miss Allen directed this comedy which was presented November 20 and 21.

Back Row: Spiegelman, Goodwin, Gleason, Carpenter, Dombrowski, Ashbaugh, Doane, Shuster, Wetmore, Sinicropi. *Front Row:* Hadley, Gorton, Kissel, Sisson, Morgan.

Luckern, Shepherd, Sullivan, Reynolds, Seitz, Verzillo, Bowman, Bantuvanis, Dragone, Allen, Bennett.

"The Inner Willy," a rollicking, three-act comedy, was produced by the Junior Class, February 18 and 19 under the direction of Miss Margaret Allen. The play brought forth many hidden talents of the junior class. Willoughby's conscience, the Inner Willy, helped him override the smothering influences of three maiden aunts. In fact, the Inner Willy helped him so much that Willoughby found himself with three dates for the school dance.

JUNIOR PLAY

BAND

Back Row: Lay, Hubbard, Ashbaugh, Shuster, Carpenter, Wetmore, Spiegelman, Carpenter, Semens, Goodwin, Vreeland, Shepherd, Shepherd, Hadley. *Third Row:* Weart, Zona, Rossi, Dowd, Seitz, Mackey, Clark, Errico, Carpenter, O'Connel, Eighmey, Ashbaugh, Carbone. *Second Row:* Piagentini, Del Russo, Scaramuzzino, Oakes, Aronson,

Mr. Fraser, Director; Carpenter, Soloist

The band started the year parading at the home football games.

With representatives of the beginning, intermediate, and advanced groups, Mr. Fraser demonstrated the progressive steps in band instruction at the Open House Night in November.

Besides the excellent concert given March 19 at home, the entire band broadcast from Geneva. Also, Jack Carpenter, baritone horn player, after participating in several eliminating contests, won the grand prize in the finals as the outstanding soloist on the "Search for Talent" program conducted by this station.

The band will attend the Music Festival, May 21 and 22, in Auburn.

The orchestra, as usual, has performed at assemblies, plays, and other public functions.

Mr. Fraser directs both band and orchestra.

BAND

Gibbs, Knight, J. Ashbaugh, Sullivan, Pratt, Kinniper, Leno, Mastroleo, Shuster, Cafaro. *Front Row:* Sullivan, Del Russo, Beeres, Horle, Crough, Lind, Mills, Sinicropi, LaManna, Forshee, Smith, Reynolds, Coffey, Parks, Martin, Mr. Fraser, Director.

ORCHESTRA

Standing: Lay, Mr. Fraser, Director. *First Row:* Aronson, Sinicropi, R. Gibbs, Goodwin, *Second Row:* Whiting, Benassi, Del Russo, E. Shuster, Spiegelman, B. Gibbs, Wetmore, Pratt, James Carpenter, Parks, John Carpenter, N. Ashbaugh, D. Shuster, Mastraleo, Cafaro. *Third Row:* R. Ashbaugh, P. Shuster, Clark, Weart.

GLEE CLUB

OFFICERS

Donald Mackey	*President*
Diana Rossi	*Vice-President*
Helen Riley	*Secretary*
John Sinicropi	*Treasurer*
Helen LaManna, Joyce Lind, Barbara Stahl, Rita Horle	*Librarians*
Miss Schlosser	*Adviser*

The Glee Club, directed by Miss Roberta Schlosser, presented an excellent program of Christmas music in December and at its annual spring concert May 13 and 14 in the auditorium.

Fourth Row: Deming, Scaramuzzino, Weart, P. Mastroleo, Deal, P. Smith, Knapp, Lapomardo, R. Reynolds, Gaines, Ryan, Brady. *Third Row:* Christopher, Brown, Greenly, Johnson, Carter, Coffey, Seitz, Clark, S. Eighmey, Faiola, Snyder, Marcuccilli, Lamuraglia, Covert, Barrett, Lynch, M. Zona. *Second Row:* Andreas, J. Broadbent, J. Stahl, B. Stahl, A. Mastroleo, I. Amidon, J. Lind, Allen, LaManna, Milella, Kennedy, I. Lind, Martin, Goodwin, Morgan, Byrne, Lama. *First Row:* Bianchi, Pratt, Benassi, Fahey, Yeo, Lemma, Peone, J. Sinicropi, M. Sinicropi, Hibbard, Swinehart, Mackey.

Fourth Row: Crough, Ashbaugh, Buck, Peterman, Reynolds, E. Sinicropi, Crane, Spiegelman, Hubbard, Del Russo, Carpenter, P. Shuster, F. Eighmey. *Third Row:* Riley, Mackin, Manzari, Marrapese, Fisher, Horle, Toni, Eno, Weaver, Fredenburgh, Mills, Knight, Barbara Amidon, Franceschi, D. Suglia, C. Clark. *Second Row:* Betty Amidon, Woodward, E. Smith, Bellomo, DePasquale, Lombardo, R. N. Brown, Farney, Batty, Conley, Meeks, Keating, Leeta Smith, Carbone, M. F. Zona, Gibbs, Carroll, J. Suglia. *First Row:* Staley, W. Smith, Landberg, Parker, Lawrence Smith, Pitrella, Denman, DiDomenico, DiNatale, Lay, B. Broadbent, Odell.

Back Row: Franceschi, Peterman, Bolich. *Middle Row:* Annetta, Manzari, Lama, Fredenburgh, Brady, Reynolds, K. Conley, E. Conley, Bellomo. *First Row:* Agnello, Knight, Miss Compitello, Adviser; Calland, Blawski, Cline, Didio.

LIBRARY CLUB

In the latter part of September the Library Club resumed its work. Elections followed after an early meeting and nine new members were accepted into the organization.

The first event following the election of officers was the observance of American Education Week and National Book Week, which by coincidence came at the same time. Many new books were on display in the library which was well prepared to interest the many visitors.

During the past year, in addition to regular desk duties, the girls read books, gave reports, and learned how to select and process new volumes, took inventory during Regents week, and carried on a campaign to restore to the library all missing books. Many of these were found in the gym, the office and in empty lockers.

Committees have already been appointed to make plans for the picnic which will close a satisfactory and successful year for the Library Club members who work under Miss Compitello's supervision.

OFFICERS

HONOR CALLAND . *President*

JOSEPHINE BLAWSKI *Vice-President*

CAROLYN KNIGHT . *Secretary*

ELEANORE CLINE . *Treasurer*

MISS COMPITELLO . *Adviser*

Standing: Blawski, Miss Compitello, Adviser; Calland. *Front:* Knight, Cline.

Back Row: Rossi, Vergamini, Krantz, Sandy, Fisher, K. Conley, E. Conley, DePasquale, Hubbard, S. Cherchia, Durso. *Middle Row:* Beatini, Bowman, Luckern, Landberg, Allen, Holcomb, Caraccilo, Verzillo, Lyman, Bantuvanis, Amidon, Dragone, Morgan. *Front Row:* Lemma, Bromley, Hayes, Mrs. Seld, Adviser; Rizzieri, Freeland, Bennett, Kissel, Baker.

OFFICERS

LOUIS RIZZIERI . *President du Cercle*
JOSEPHINE HAYES . *President du Conseil*
ROBERT FREELAND
Ministre sans Portefeuille
WILLIAM BENNETT *Ministre de l'Ecriture*
JOSEPH LEMMA *Ministre des Finances*
ROBBIE NELL BROWN
Ministre des Programes
MRS. SELD . . . . *Adviser*

Standing: Bennett, Freeland, Rizzieri, Lemma, Mrs. Seld, Adviser; Hayes. *Seated:* Brown.

Le Cercle francais se mit a ses activites en automne avec l'election des officiers capables sous la conduite de Mme. Seld.

Envers la fin de 1947 le Cercle donna aux classes de francais quelques films depeignant les gens et lieux dans l'histoire francaise.

Le Cercle commenca ses danses en decembre et les continua une annee. De l'argent amasse, on en donna a CARE, pour eleve en France.

Une soiree d'iniation a la Maison blanche eut lieu en fevrier pour terminer une semaine d'iniation, pendant laquelle 14 nouveaux membres reciterent des parties de la Constitution et des regles d'ordres pour les seances.

Le Cercle jourient d'une promenade a bicyclette en mai et un banquet final en juin.

LE CERCLE FRANCAIS

SCIENCE CLUB

OFFICERS

Norman Deming	*President*
John Sinicropi	*Vice-President*
Francis Turkett	*Secretary*
Joe Dombrowski	*Treasurer*
Mr. Stanley Marshall	*Adviser*

Standing: Deming, Turkett, Mr. Marshall, Adviser; Cramer. *Seated:* Sinicropi, Dombrowski.

Many new members were admitted to the Science Club this year, swelling its ranks to thirty.

Under the supervision of Mr. Marshall, several projects were carried on including a hydrophonics experiment, the construction of a terrarium, and the rejuvenation of the aquarium. White mice and various types of trees were also raised.

At the meetings new members gave short talks on "Things of Science," and chemistry and physics demonstrations were held.

The club opened the laboratory and science room for the Open House Program in November. Projects worked on during the year were exhibited, and several experiments were conducted.

Social activities included an initiation party held March 6 in the gym, and a spring picnic.

Back Row: DeStephano, Ashley, Deal, Walters, Farney. *Middle Row:* Malone, Barrett, Marrapese, Holcomb, Mr. Marshall, Adviser; Cramer, Deming, Van Houten, Reardon, Dombrowski, Weaver, Marcuccilli. *First Row:* Hilbert, Amidon, Magill, Pitrella, Hibbard, Turkett, J. Sinicropi, Brady.

LATIN CLUB

The Latin Club, with Miss Miller as adviser, pursued further the knowledge and interest of the Latin language in everyday life. The officers of the club are Erik Landberg and Donna Freeland, consuls; Joan Carroll and Lawrence Fahey, aediles; Judy Jorgensen, censor; Leeta Smith, questor; Carol Clark, cantor; and William Dark, janitor. The club completed its activities with a Roman banquet, where the members followed the original procedure as closely as possible.

Back Row: Lynch, White, Smith, Clark, Jorgensen, Dark, Keach, Carter. *Front Row:* Carroll, Freeland, Miss Miller, Adviser; Landberg, Fahey.

Back Row: L. Green, Miss Cardwell, Adviser; Griggs, D. Rogers, Agnello, Zona, Carrol, Belcher, Lama. *Middle Row:* Seman, Jorgensen, Brown, Buck, Reynolds. *First Row:* Lind, A. Green, Wolf, M. Rogers, Magill.

Under the guidance of Miss Cardwell, the Hearth Club, open to the members of the Homemaking classes, elected president Carolyn Seman, vice-president Mona Rogers, Secretary Anna Green and Treasurer Dorothy Rogers. This organization teaches the girls poise and etiquette and gives them a chance to have some social life in school. Some of the functions held this year were an initiation supper, a Christmas formal dinner dance and a Valentine dinner.

HEARTH CLUB

JUNIOR RED CROSS

The officers of Junior Red Cross are: Miss Jacobs, sponsor; and Rose Klionsky, assistant sponsor; president, Jane Goodwin; vice-president, David Weart; secretary, Eleanor Cline; treasurer, Elizabeth Sinicropi. Junior Red Cross maintained its record of 100% membership in Mynderse. Under Miss Jacob's direction, many worthwhile projects were completed, the biggest being the sponsoring of a benefit dance for the collection of games, puzzles, books, etc., for the Canandaigua Veterans' Hospital.

Back Row: Hibbard, Lombardo, Denman, Fahey, B. Cline, Sherman. *Middle Row:* Thorpe, Yates, Vreeland, Colgrove, Miss Jacobs, Adviser; Coffey, Mellini, Ashley, Holland. *Front Row:* E. Cline, Weart, Klionsky, Goodwin, Sinicropi.

Back Row: Klandatos, Bantuvanis, Reynolds. *Middle Row:* Didio, Annetta, Decker, Beerse, Freeland, Dober, Galgano, Turkett, Bowman, Milella, LaManna. *Front Row:* Bromley, Holcomb, Miss Trulan, Adviser; Landberg, Morgan.

Acanthus began the year with the election of officers: president, Peggy Morgan; vice-president, and treasurer, Marion Landberg; secretary, Betty Bromley, and the initiation of eleven new members.

Group projects, including painting stage set flats and assisting organizations with decorations and publicity, were completed. Individual entries were made for entrance in the National Scholastic Art Contest.

The year, 1948, under Miss Trulan's direction, has been an interesting and profitable one for the club.

ACANTHUS

1. "Romeo, Romeo, wherefore art thou, Romeo."
2. Some gals with a bookish air.
3. "Dem Bums."
4. An exodus from Miss Miller's room.
5. The Sea Scouts plot a course.
6. Companion pieces at the Alps.
7. Swing with the Mynderse Madmen.

With full canvas and all sails set, these clipper ships, impelled by the unleashed slaves of Neptune and the offshore winds, drove over the sea of diverse quests.

Similarly, our ship, the Mynderse Academy, impelled by a crew of strong athletes and excellent coaches, has driven over the sea of sportsmanship on its quest of adventure.

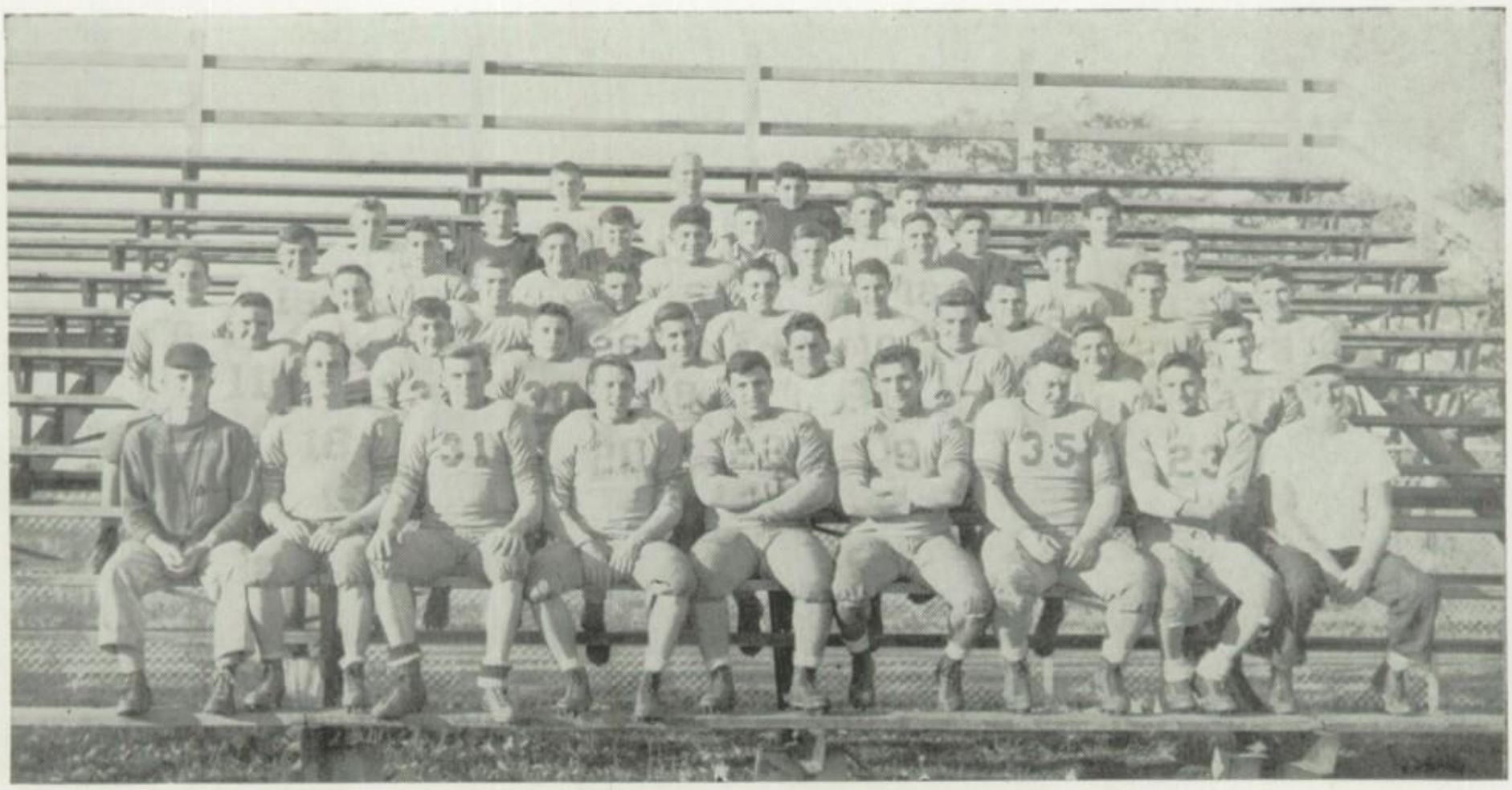
CHEERLEADERS AND COACHES

Cheerleaders: Riley, Gorton, Beatini, Hibbard, DePasquale, Yates, Hayes. *Coaches—Back Row:* Canale, Cooley, Smith. *Front Row:* Bourdon, Driscoll, Marshall.

Under the peppy spirit of our staff of cheerleaders and with the unfailing aid of the coaches, Miss Driscoll, Mr. Cooley, Mr. Bourdon, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Canale, we concluded a successful year in the various sports.

Our cheerleaders with a variety of cheers, both old and new, provided color and enthusiasm at all the sports events.

This lusty cheering plus untiring coaching proved to be a very successful combination.



Sixth Row: Reardon, Coach Cooley, Povero, Scannell. *Fifth Row:* Lyman, Smith, Eighmey, Kreager, Knight, Peone, Galgano. *Fourth Row:* Eighmey, Caracillo, Schaertl, Serling, Hubbard, Del Russo, Lemma, Verzillo. *Third Row:* Faioli, Rutz, Odell, Sandroni, Spiegelman, Pratt, Russo, Piscitelli, Mackey. *Second Row:* Sisson, Cafaro, Aronson, Letizia, F. Paradise, Capacci, Rizzieri, Giovannini. *First Row:* Coach Marshall, Poole, Baker, Comiskey, Passifione, Schaertl, Johnson, D. Paradise, Coach Bourdon.

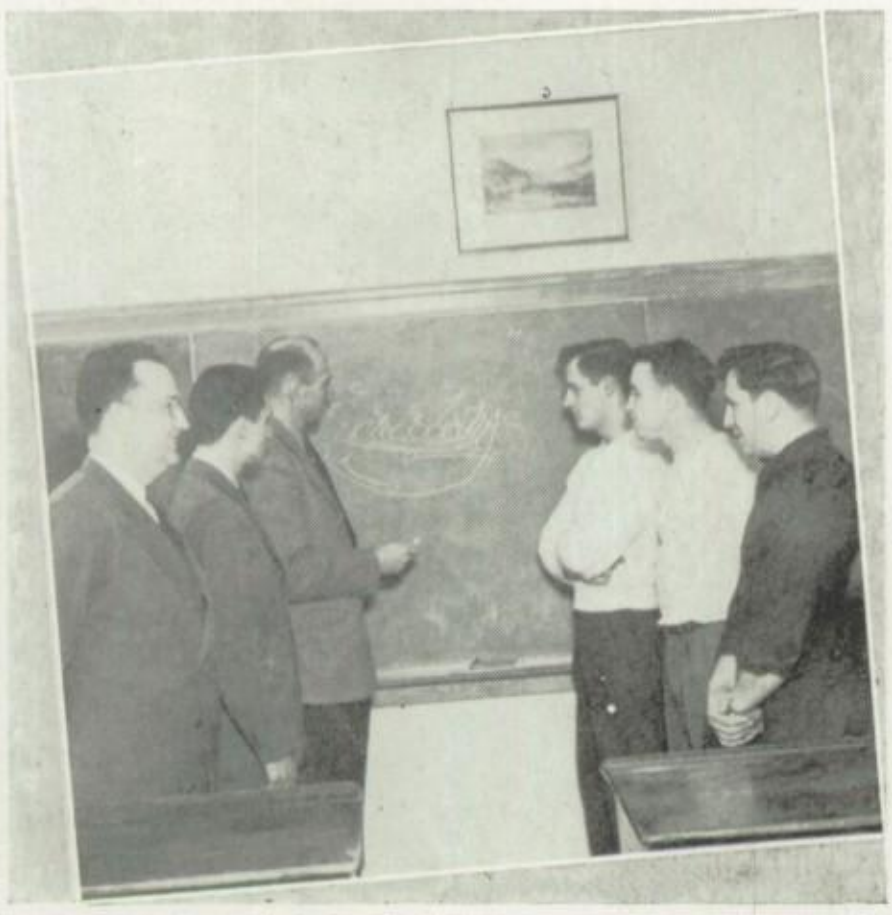
Another great Mynderse team rolled up an impressive record this year. Led by its tri-captains Ron Schaertl, Len Passifione, and Don Comiskey the team bested all comers except Canandaigua, scoring 241 points to their opponents 35. Much credit must be given to Coaches Cooley, Bourdon, and Marshall for their work in molding this team.

Mynderse played most of its games on dry fields where teamwork and a fast breaking T-formation paid big dividends in points.

This was the third year that Mynderse has been unmoved upon on the State Street field. The three year record stands at 18 wins, 3 losses, and 1 tie. Two of the losses were to Canandaigua and the other to Lyons. The tie was with Waterloo. The total number of points scored by Mynderse during this time was 467 as compared to 68 scored by their opponents.

The season ended with a Football Banquet sponsored by the Elks Club. The speaker of the evening was Mr. John Bateman, line coach at Columbia University.

Bourdon, Marshall, Cooley, Coaches; Schaertl, Comiskey, Passifione, Tri-Captains.



The scores for the 1947 season were:

Mynderse	.	41	Holy Family	.	0
Mynderse	.	19	Clyde	.	0
Mynderse	.	27	Newark	.	7
Mynderse	.	39	Lyons	.	7
Mynderse	.	27	Palmyra	.	0
Mynderse	.	7	Canandaigua	.	19
Mynderse	.	61	Penn Yan	.	0
Mynderse	.	20	Waterloo	.	2

FOOTBALL

BASKETBALL

The Mynderse Varsity fought a number of closely contested games this year and as a result shows remarkable recovery from the underdog position. Often times the games were won or lost by one or two points.

Our blood rivals, Waterloo, had two lucky nights when they missed defeat by one and two points respectively. The boys were in there fighting, though, and managed to emerge from the season with 7 wins out of 12 league games.

The scores will be found below:

Mynderse	32	Geneva	23
Mynderse	34	Newark	44
Mynderse	28	Waterloo	29
Mynderse	56	Penn Yan	41
Mynderse	46	Lyons	47
Mynderse	39	Canandaigua	27
Mynderse	35	Geneva	30
Mynderse	50	Newark	42
Mynderse	33	Waterloo	35
Mynderse	42	Penn Yan	41
Mynderse	20	DeSales	25
Mynderse	26	Lyons	40
Mynderse	26	Canandaigua	24

Mr. Canale, J. Varsity Coach; Milella, Manager; Wetmore, Time Keeper; Giovanetti, Scorer; Dowen, Manager; Mr. Cooley, Varsity Coach.

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Giovannetti, Manager; Passifione, Rizzieri, Letizia, Capacci, Cafaro, Schaertl, Olmstead, Caraccilo, Piscitelli, Mr. Cooley, Coach.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

The Mynderse Junior Varsity presented a favorable score card by fighting hard and taking 8 wins out of 12 league games and adding DeSales for good measure. Many of the boys showed themselves to be excellent material for next year's varsity by their accuracy and aggressiveness.

Mynderse	25	Geneva	32	Mynderse	36	Geneva	43
Mynderse	43	Newark	32	Mynderse	47	Newark	43
Mynderse	20	Waterloo	12	Mynderse	32	Waterloo	33
Mynderse	44	Penn Yan	24	Mynderse	39	Penn Yan	38
Mynderse	56	Lyons	30	Mynderse	49	DeSales	26
Mynderse	38	Canandaigua	36	Mynderse	32	Lyons	13
				Mynderse	27	Canandaigua	41

Back Row: Eighmey, Serling, Dombrowski, Lemma. *Middle Row:* Dowen, Manager; Faiola, Staley, Sinicropi, Oakes, Peterson, Mr. Canale, Coach. *First Row:* Paradise, Rutz, Freeland, Sandroni, Knapp, Hartman.

Lombardo, Eno, Vreeland, Ashley, Franceschi, Holland.

Three new cheerleaders were added to the Mynderse Jay Vee squad this year. They are Mary Ann Ashley, Dina Franceschi, and Nona Holland. Beverly Vreeland, Anna Lombardo, and Eleanor Eno have served two years as junior varsity cheerleaders.

Under the supervision of Miss Driscoll and the varsity cheerleaders, these girls have learned and directed Mynderse cheers with much pep and enthusiasm. They have cheered our Jay Vee basketball team on to victory.

JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

TENNIS

Ably coached by Mr. Wallace Smith, Mynderse's tennis team entered into competition with Canandaigua, Geneva, Penn Yan, and Waterloo. Two matches were scheduled with each, Mynderse winning them all except the two with Canandaigua. This year, a junior varsity or second team, was formed for those who are not quite experienced enough for varsity work. This team competed with Geneva's second team. The varsity anticipates a successful season this year.

Cafaro, Broadbent, Mr. Smith, Coach; Cramer, Olmstead.

Back Row: Rizzieri, Schaertl, Comiskey, Carpenter, Baker, Mackey, Del Russo, Eastman, Caraccilo, Mr. Marshall, Coach. *Middle Row:* Piscitelli, Martel, Mastroleo, T. Galgano, Yeo, Curry, Giovanetti, Rutz, Odell. *Front Row:* Cammuso, Seitz, Brady, Galgano, Reardon, Povero, Cherchia, Manager.

This was Mynderse's first track team in thirteen years. Coached by Mr. Stanley Marshall, the team competed with Geneva, Waterloo, Penn Yan, and Newark. The locals defeated the Geneva "B" team twice but lost to the others. Mynderse then entered the conference meet at Canandaigua where Captain Rizzieri, Schaertl, Mackey, and Carpenter qualified to go to the District IV meet at Rochester. All four were on winning relay teams at that meet.

TRACK

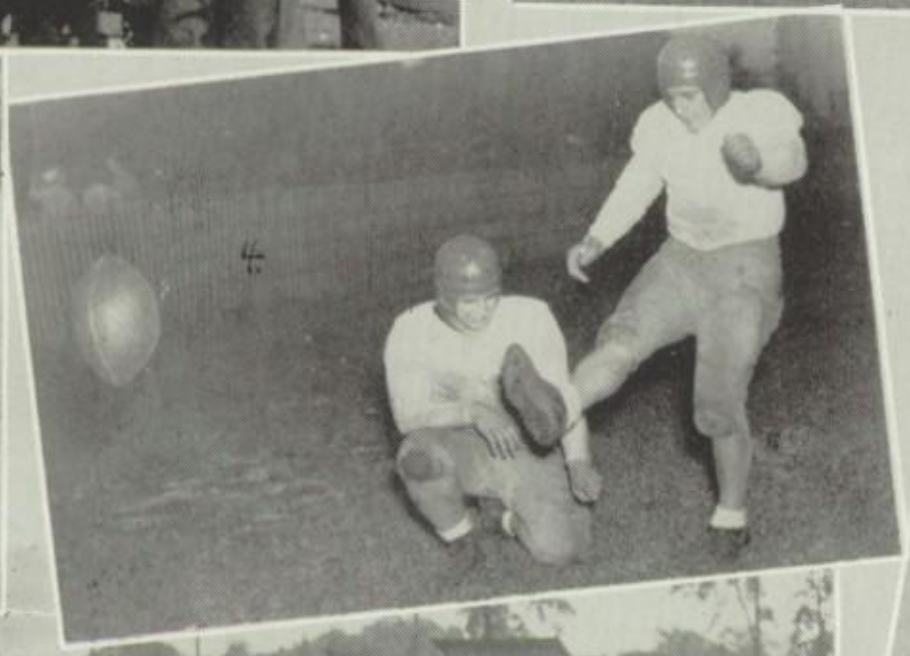
Back Row: Moio, Lemma, Hanlin, Waters, Hibbard. *Middle Row:* Coach Cooley, Rossi, Bowers, Paradise, Sandroni, Giovannini, Noble, Verzillo. *Front Row:* Letizia, Capacci, Avveduti, Poole, Broadbent, Giovannetti, Page, Woods, Passifione.

The Good Ship Mynderse, piloted by Mr. Cooley, set forth on the Baseball Sea but found the waters too rough, losing all eight contests. In the first game at Geneva, Mynderse lost 6 to 2. In the second game at Canandaigua, the Blue and White was given a 3 to 2 defeat. In Waterloo another storm was encountered and Mynderse was turned back 6 to 2. On the home front for the first time, Mynderse lost to Geneva 15 to 7. Next, Penn Yan invaded the home field and defeated Mynderse 9 to 6 and duplicated the feat at Penn Yan in the next game; the score again was 9 to 6. Canandaigua came down to Seneca Falls to defeat the Blue Devils 4 to 0. In the final game against Waterloo, Mynderse was upset with a 6 to 2 count.

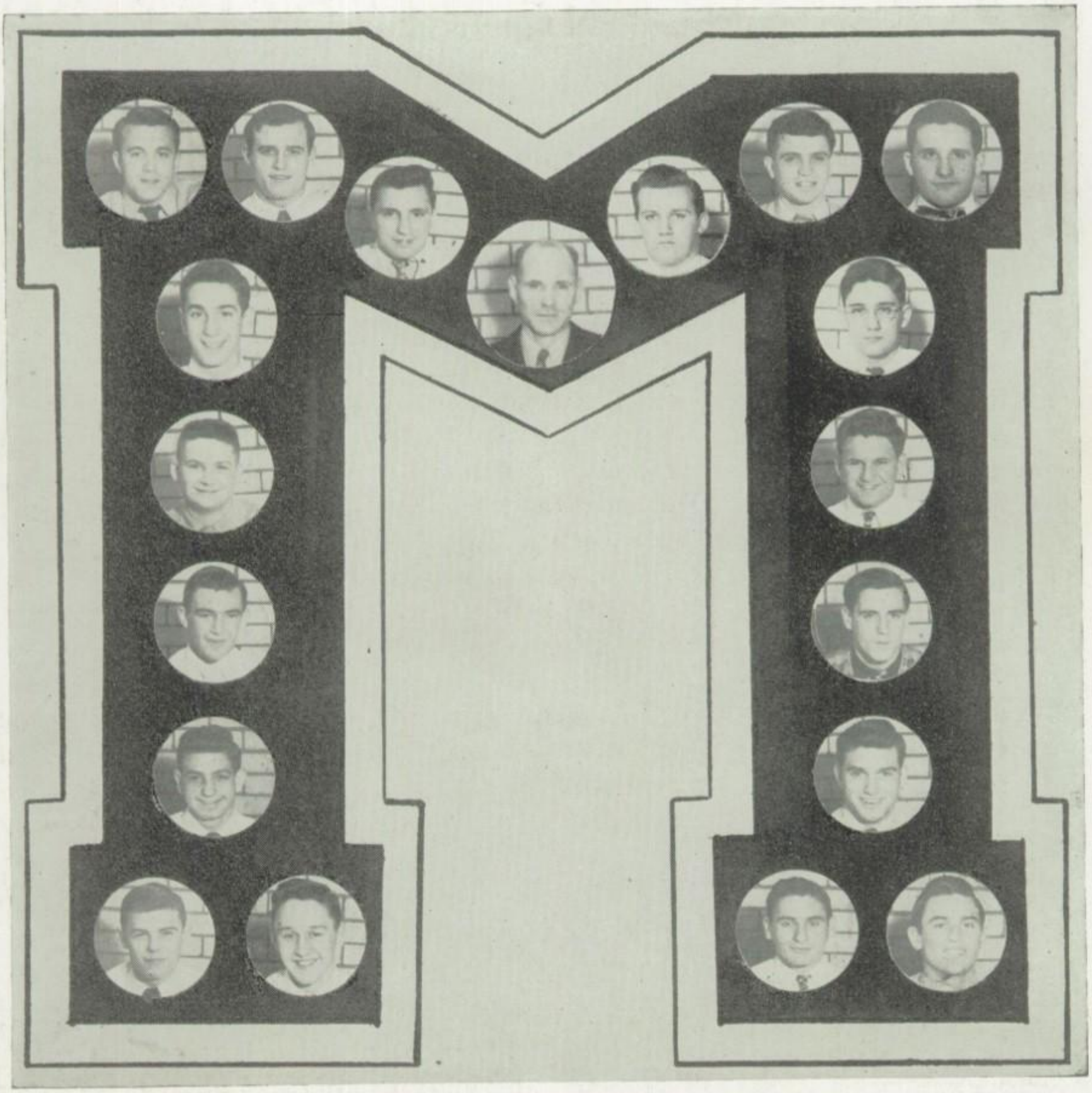
Bowers, Hanlin, Cooley, Coach;
Waters, Letizia.

Paul Avveduti was awarded the trophy for the highest batting average. He batted .346, the only average above .300 on the team. Avveduti, Poole, Giovannetti, Paradise, Wood and Page, graduates of 1947, will not be available for the 1948 season, but it is hoped that plenty of good, strong material will be developed before the playing season begins so that Mynderse may have a winning team.

BASEBALL



1. Suspense!
2. Lee went over.
3. Don Comiskey up for repairs.
4. Frank place-kicks.
5. Ticket sellers.
6. Joe Poole receives at Lyons game.
7. The Bench.
8. Let us in on that huddle.
9. The feminine contingent, featuring young Miss Radtke.
10. Between halves the band takes over.



Odell, Rutz, Caraccilo, Rizzieri, Sisson, Letizia, Comiskey, Schaertl, Passifione, Cooley, Adviser; Baker, Spiegelman, Aronson, Cafaro, Sandroni, Giovannini, Capacci, Paradise, Faiola.

The Block M Club of Mynderse Academy in its promotion of better sportsmanship has during this year accomplished its goal in an admirable sense.

With Leonard Passifione as president, assisted by vice-president Ronald Schaertl, treasurer Dominic Paradise, secretary Donald Comiskey, and adviser Coach Cooley, the boys have been working on various projects. After the initiation of new members, the Block M pitched right in with donations to the Curtain Fund and to Care organization. Their working for a memorial to Mr. Rockwell is perhaps their greatest single achievement. However, their football programs, annual Block M Dance, and the Block M salutes to those persons or organizations who strive to create a better Mynderse Academy are also tributes to a fine group of athletes.

BLOCK M CLUB

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Miss Driscoll supervised the organization meetings of the Girls' Athletic Association in the early fall, when officers for the year were chosen and plans made. Next a formal constitution concerned with the aims, objectives and procedures of the club was adopted and the weekly meetings established.

One of the important functions of the G. A. A. is to aid in directing sports activities throughout the year. In line with this objective the club planned Play Days with other schools so that the participants might broaden the scope of their activities. A group of Avon girls came in December and others from Penn Yan in February. On the home front, winning basketball games were played against both Le Cercle francais and girls from Room 59.

Return Play Days with Avon and Penn Yan proved so enjoyable that it is hoped to increase the number of participating schools another year.

To top off the year an all-school spring dance was held in the gym in April.

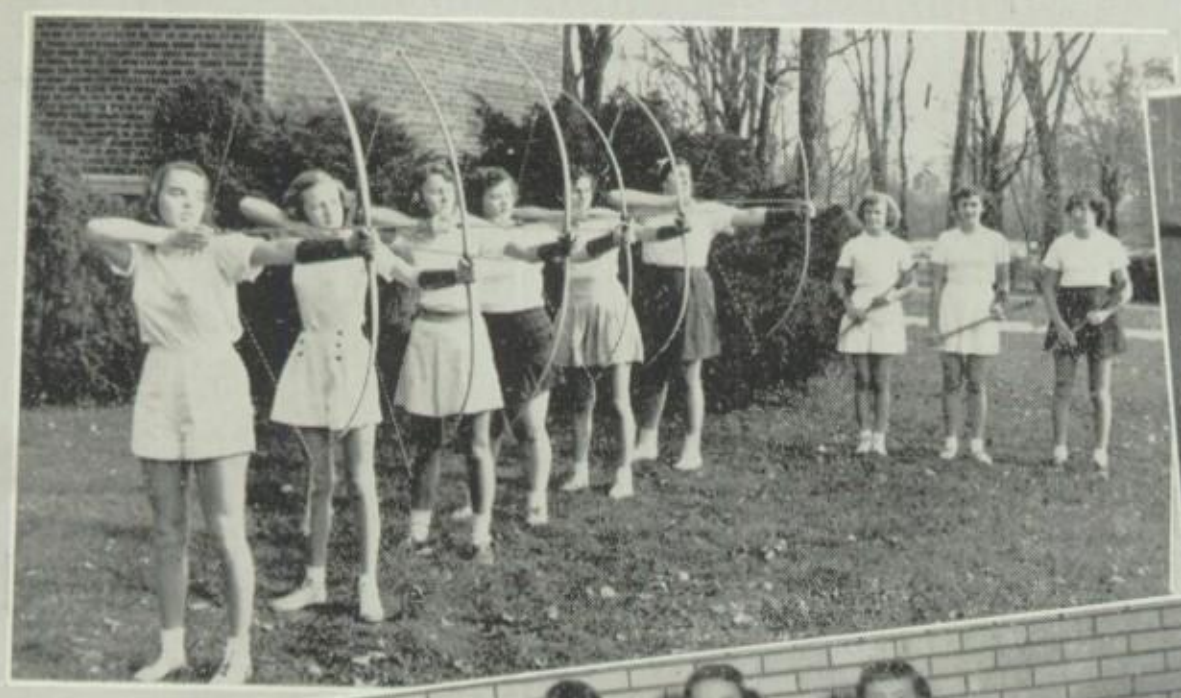
Miss Driscoll, Adviser; N. Doane.

OFFICERS

Nancy Doane	*President*
Helen Riley	*Vice-President*
Anna DePasquale	*Secretary*
Barbara Stahl	*Treasurer*
Anne Driscoll	*Adviser*

Back Row: Horle, Carroll, Clark, Deary, Lilla. *Middle Row:* Stahl, Riley, Miss Driscoll, Adviser; Doane, DePasquale. *First Row:* Yates, Kissel, Beatini.

GIRLS' SPO



1. Ready—Aim—?
4. Champion basketball team.
7. Jane gives it a lift.

2. Bowling 'em over.
5. The light fantastic exponents.
8. Hold everything!

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3. The officials' club (They call 'em).
6. Grade Champions!
9. G. A. A. plays host to the Avon girls.

BOYS' SPORT

1. A strike?
2. Volleyball experts.
5. Ping-pong champs.
6. Morale builders.
9. A winning tally.

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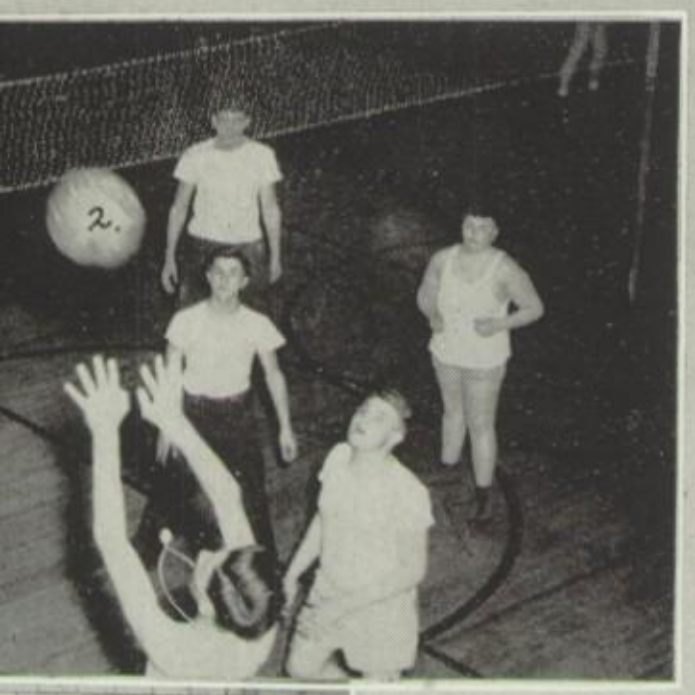
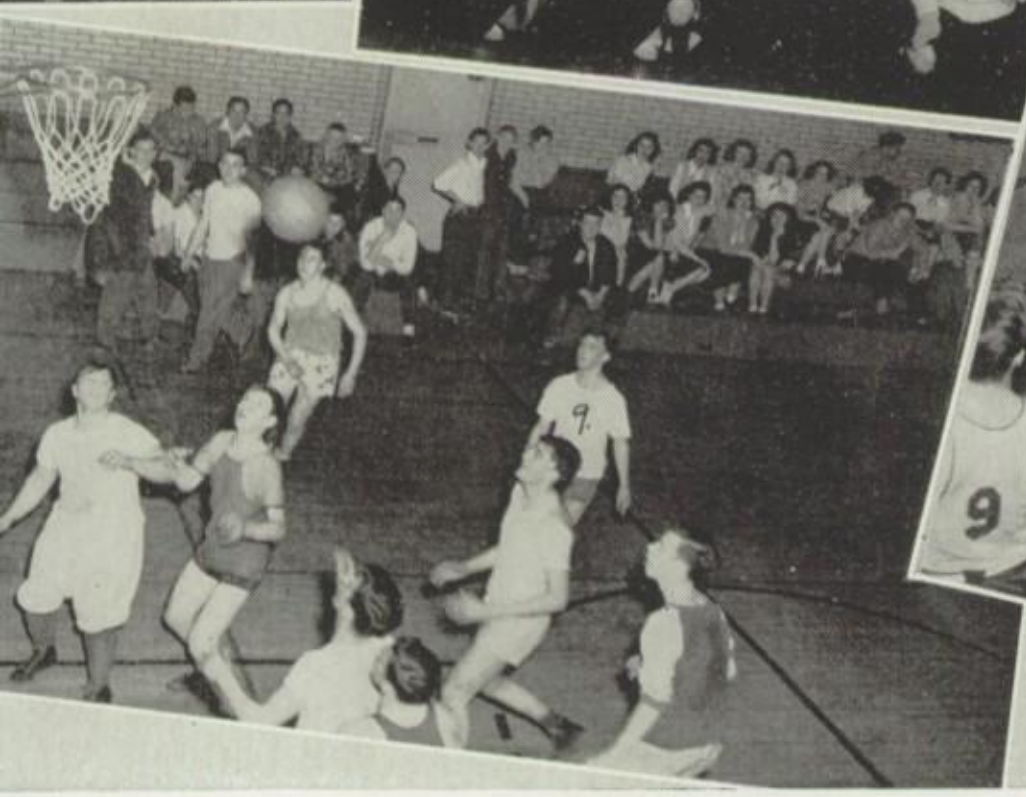
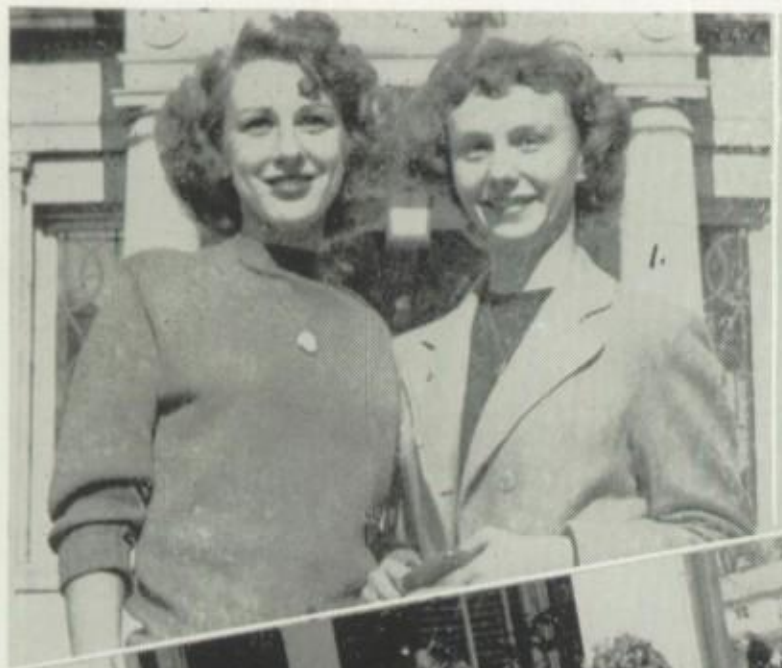
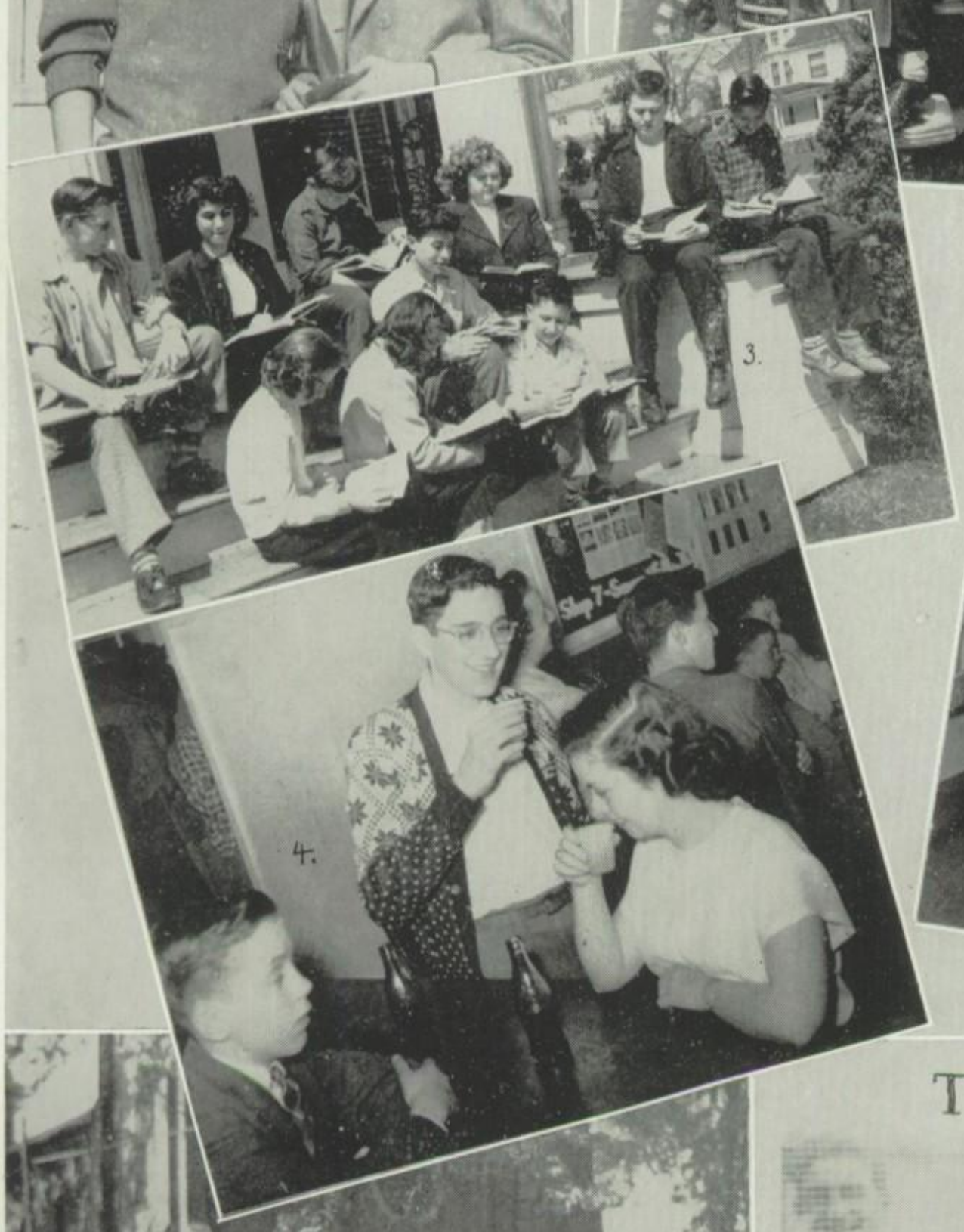




3. We build anything.
4. Junior High basketball victors.
7. Winning Junior basketball team.
8. Suspended action in the gym.
10. "Eight" against "Eight."
11. A winsome twosome interested in intramurals.





1. Joyce and Honor in a happy mood.
2. Free Parking.
3. Spring fever!
4. Ralph and Kathleen drink a toast at the Barn.
5. Patsy registering surprise.
6. MEN OF PROPERTY!!!
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